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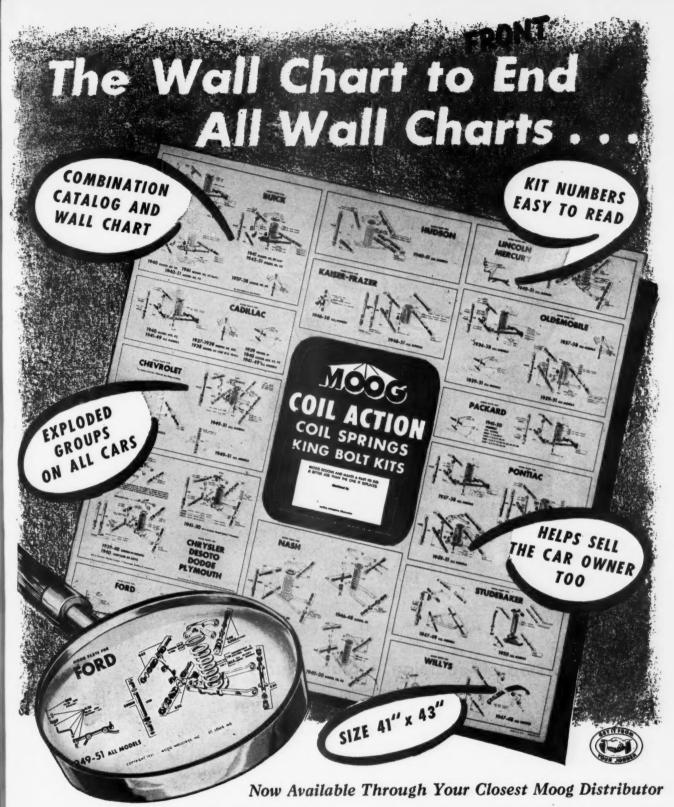
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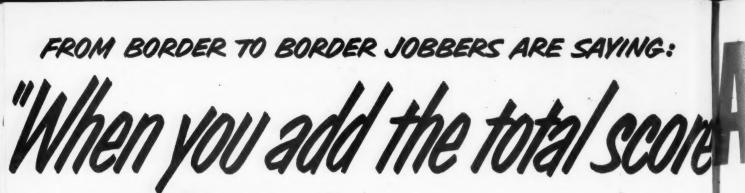
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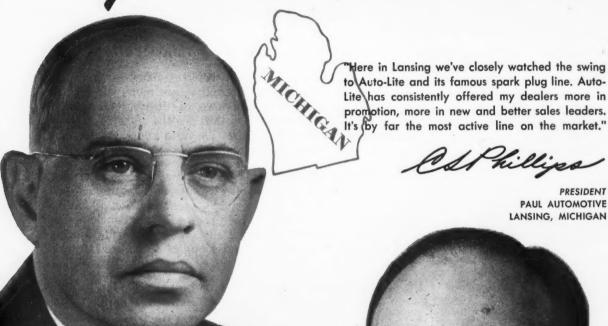
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Erik started his automotive career in a small midwestern city in 1916, joining with his two brothers in organizing a repair shop in a small building formerly occupied by a tailor. Erik, an expert mechanic, handled the repair department and also assisted his brothers in selling two of the leading makes of cars at that time. "It wasn't unusual to drive thirty miles over rutted roads to see a prospect," Erik recalls, "and we'd make our pitch in a farmer's backyard with chickens and ducks roosting on the bumper and running board. We took anything for



trades—farm machinery, horses and even cows." The business prospered as the friendly, honest dealings of the brothers gained attention throughout the country.

Because Erik believed a salesman served his customer better by knowing everything about his product, he took a special course for automotive mechanics. "The technical facts I learned," Erik says, "have helped my selling countless ways. For instance, I even sold a fire engine because I knew the answers. And, my practical experience taught me how valuable good community relations can be. In fact, I went out of my

relations can be. In fact, I went out of my way to replace the horse-drawn engine in my home town. It was good business," he emphasizes. "Every time my new-fangled fire wagon screeched through town, someone was sure to say, 'There goes that new fire truck Erik built.'"

His wide acquaintance among car owners, a reputation for honesty and his position in the community, were so out-



standing they won him a De Soto dealership when an opening occurred.

Erik gets into community activities at every opportunity. He has local police officers participate in a "Safety Through Courtesy" program. The officers nominate courtesy drivers, then Erik presents the drivers with \$5.00 bills.



Today Erik is proud of the thriving dealership he has established. His modern plant includes spacious showroom, large service department, and an active used car lot. He is so sold on the opportunities in the automobile business that he has brought his college-trained son into active management. "And," Erik emphasizes, "he's carrying on the tradition of good community relations, good customer relations, and a top-notch product to sell. You can't miss with that combination!"



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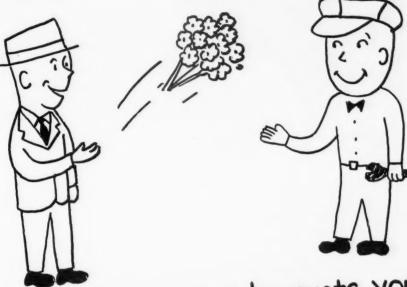
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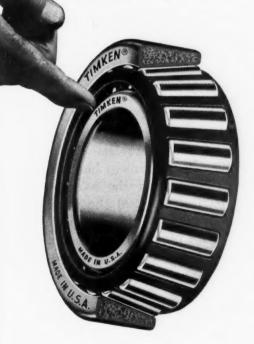
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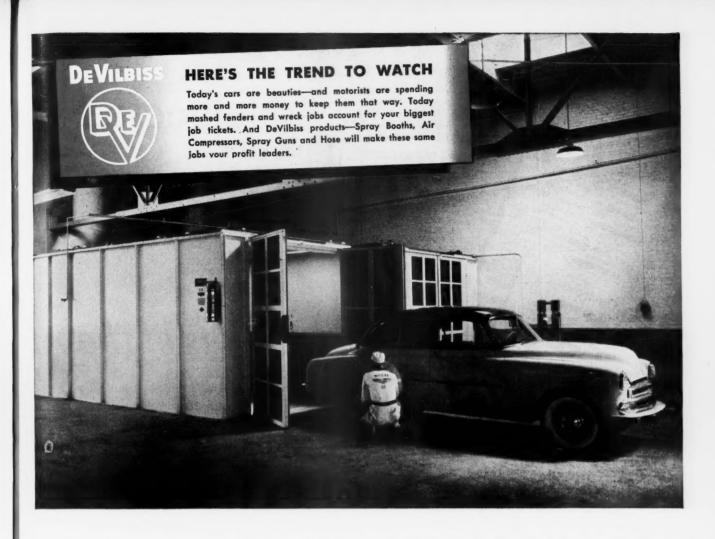
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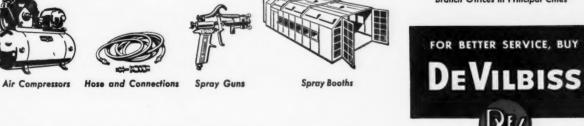
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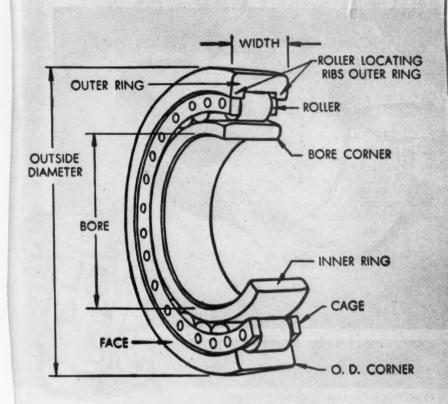
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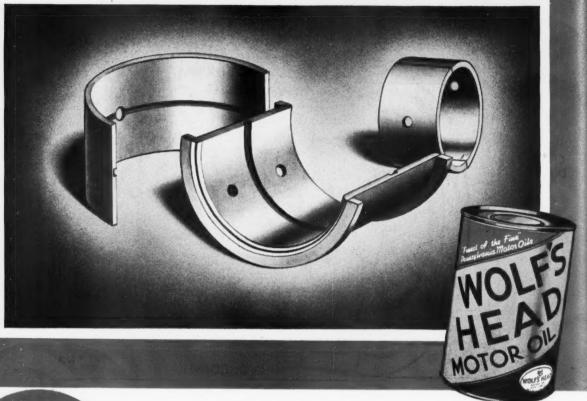
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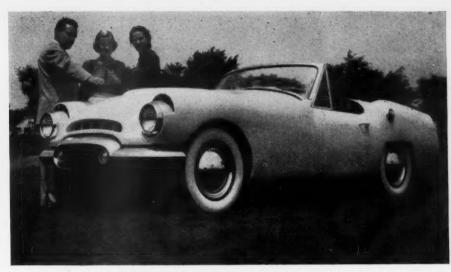




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Sports Car Custom Built for Ted Williams by Wm. Flajole

The Ted Williams Flajole Special, a \$25,000 sports car with a top speed of 125 miles per hour, is being featured by the makers of Johnson's Wax in their name-thecar contest.

Designed especially for Ted Williams, of the Boston Red Sox, by William Flajole and Associates, the car is powered by the "Dual Jetfire" Nash Ambassador 6-cylinder overhead valve engine. It is equipped with an all aluminum racing head and other major modifications for high speeds. Designed to use premium fuel, it has a new type aluminum cylinder head offering a compression ratio of 8.1:1 with developed power of 125 hp at 4000 rpm. It has two British S. U. horizontal carburetors working in conjunction with an oversized "Sealed-In-Iso-Thermal" intake manifold.

The engine's sealed-in intake manifold passages are formed directly in the main engine castings, water cooled on two sides, designed to provide even gasoline distribution and improved temperature control.

The sports car's distinctive front end appearance is achieved with a broad low hood and car-long horizontal body lines. Body panels, as well as most structural parts, are made of aluminum. The curb weight is about 2700 pounds; wheelbase, 102 inches; overall length, 170 inches; and width, 66 inches.

K-F Explores Car Sales Through Chain Store

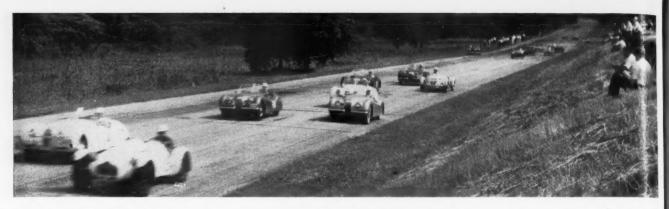
Kaiser-Fraser has held discussions with a large retail chain to explore the possibility of a test program for sale of the company's Henry-J cars through the chain's retail stores. There is nothing definite in the way of such a program yet, however. The problem is a particularly delicate one between K-F and its dealers, and it is understood that if and when such a program is tried it would be in areas where K-F either has no dealers or perhaps a weak dealership. It is also understood that the chain is Sears Roebuck.

Study of Safety Check Made by IIHSC

Sampling of the recent safety check made by the Inter-Industry Highway Safety Committee shows that approximately one out of every three cars in the nation need maintenance to one or more parts affecting safe operation. Brakes and lights headed the list of all items needing attention. One out of ten cars needed brake work; one out of twelve had rear light trouble; one out of thirteen faulty headlights; one out of fifteen bad windshield wipers.

Industry Expects OPS O.K. On Car Price Rises

There is considerable optimism among passenger car companies that price increases will be allowed soon by O.P.S. Car makers have excellent data to justify higher prices on the basis of greatly increased cost of materials, higher wages, and greater unit costs because of lower volume imposed by controls on materials.



Sports Car Club Meets On Studebaker Proving Grounds

Hal Ullerich, a 33-year-old mechanic for the famous Evanston, Ill., auto collector, D. Cameron Peck, took speed honors at the second annual Chicago, Detroit, Milwaukee, Indianapolis region meet of the Sports Car Club of America, held recently on the Studebaker proving grounds, South Bend. Ullerich covered the three-mile, asphalt, pear-shaped, closed course in a 103.8 mph qualifying run, piloting an Allard J-2 with a Mercury engine.

The four regions, gathering 350 members and guests and about 60 cars for the meet, staged qualifying runs, two five-lap races for cars with less than 1,500 cc piston displacement, the nine to 12-lap South

Bend handicap and a feature skill-ful driving contest.

Detroit garage owner, Paul Farago, scorched the high-banked circuit in his custom-bodied Fiat at 87.8 mph to mark the fastest time for qualifiers in the under-1.500 cc class.

The South Bend Handicap, main event, was won by James Simpson, Jr., of Chicago, in a Healy Silverstone with a Riley, four-cylinder engine at an average speed of 91.5 mph for 10 laps. He nosed out Ullerich's Allard which was handicapped at 12 laps. Paul Farago, with only nine laps to go in his Fiat, copped second place at 78 mph.

In the five-lap races for under-

1,500 cc cars, the first was won by Paul Farago, Detroit, in a Fiat at an average 88 mph; Max Goldman, Detroit, took the second race in an MG-TD at an average 80.9 mph.

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Women and men both took part in the skillful driving run. It consisted of a 50-yard, snaky run between fragile, wooden spindles and a return trip through half a foot of water in a Studebaker test pit. Winner and dampest driver among the men was Phil E. Dorough, Chicago, in an MG-TC; among the women, Mrs. C. N. West, Chicago, in an MG-TC.

Old Timers to Hold 12th Anniversary Dinner

The Automobile Old Timers dinner to be held in Detroit, October 4th, will be the twelfth anniversary dinner. The principal speaker for the evening will be Paul G. Hoffman, director of Ford Foundation. More than a thousand guests are expected to be at the dinner held in conjunction with Detroit's 250th Birthday Festival.

"Le Sabre" To Go On Exhibition at State Fair

Le Sabre, GM's experimental car, described in an article in January MOTOR AGE, will be on display at the Michigan State Fair, August 31st to September 9th, first public display of the fabulous "Laboratory on Wheels," which expresses many advanced styling and designed features from the GM styling section. It is expected that many of the mechanical features and much of the styling as well, will be translated into practical production features of motor cars in the not too distant future.



They Appreciate Art

The boys of Hi-Speed Power Equipment Company, out on Long Island, were so impressed with our May cover, that they made a large size poster of it for display on the shop counter. The group near the counter are the McCarthy boys, the shop assistants, the office girls and Frank Dominianni, manager.

OPS Cracks Down On Used Car Dealer

That the Office of Price Stabilization means business in its drive to prevent over ceiling prices under the table payments and improper methods of the sale in new and used automobiles, was made obvious recently when the U. S. Attorney brought proceedings against a used car dealer in the New York region. The information for the proceedings, the result of investigations by OPS district enforcement officers, alleged that the used car dealer had violated ceiling price regulations in the purchase and sale of a 1951 automobile at over-ceiling prices. It further alleged that the company failed to keep proper records as required by OPS regulations.

Scrap Drive Committees Named by Auto Wreckers

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Members of the National Auto Wreckers Assn. in 102 cities throughout the United States are organizing scrap mobilization committees in cooperation with the iron and steel scrap program now being conducted by the National Production Authority. The Auto Wreckers Industry has appointed 13 regional committee chairmen for regions corresponding to the



Not so long ago we kissed the spare tire goodbye. But the government has reversed itself, and here is Syd Turner bussing his new fifth wheel hello. The ban was lifted while he was flying to Willow Run to pick up a new car. And look at all the rare white rubber he got, too!

13 Department of Commerce regions. Each will select a committee of auto wreckers in his own area. All wrecking companies are urged to remove salable parts from these cars as soon as possible and to pass the remainder into scrap channels.

Atam Annual Meeting Held in Detroit

The three-day annual meeting of the Automotive Trade Association Managers was held at the Book-Cadillac Hotel, Detroit, recently, and was well attended by Association Managers from all parts of the United States, as well as from Hawaii and Canada. Several presidents of major local State and National Automotive Trade Associations were in attendance, including NADA President R. D. McKay and members of the NADA staff.

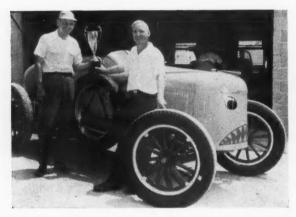
NADA Completes Plans for Convention in January

National Automobile Dealers Association's 1952 Convention Committee has completed preliminary plans for the big dealer meeting in New York City, January 27-30. Service clinics, general clinics, and general convention sessions are designed to cover every phase of dealer operations. Stressing the essentiality of automotive transportation, the entire program will be built around expanded and improved service to the motorists of the nation.



When Jimmy Long, Florida inventor, is away from his car and the rains pour down, his automatic rain cell takes over. When the first drop of rain hits the screen covered unit, the top goes up automatically and the windows are raised. The gal got in legitimately to drop water on the unit because is wasn't raining that day in Miami.

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By squeezing every drop, Dave Berry and Fred Schuette won the Shell Oil Company mileage marathon with their 1924 Chevrolet. Their 98.6 mpg is far below the 134.18 mpg record of last year, but it's hardly wasting fuel.



Louis S. Clarke, founder of the Autocar Company, is proud of them both. The two-cylinder Phaeton with left-hand drive, he made himself in 1898 and restored recently. The modern Autocar tractor is one of their latest models.





Stan Lomax, ace sportscaster, stops for a chat with pretty Lola Fisher at Roosevelt Raceway, trotting race track on Long Island. The station wagon is a regular fixture at the track.

Summer sands are good for skiing but sandplaning gives a new twist to the old sport. The plywood sleds are towed safely behind 4wd jeeps at speeds up to 35-mile per hour on the beach near Southampton, Long Island.

It can't be done say the experts, but he did it. Joe Heirman of Delta County, Michigan, picked up this blunt-handled wrench while driving on blacktop pavement, and it went clear through his tire. What's your theory?



. . Report to Our Readers



We're Agin' Nationalization— Or Are We?

WHEN, in the course of political double-talk our government sees fit to look with "sympathy" on the nationalization of the oil industry in Iran, the time has come, we feel, to take stock of our Government's attitude on the whole subject of nationalization as opposed to the American idea of freedom to own property—our businesses and our homes—here in the United States.

Let's put it in simple terms. Nationalization of business or industry means working for the Government, instead of the Government working for you. It means that the Government can step in and put you out of business; take over your assets and your successful operation and run it without you.

Pretty soon, things get fouled up because, by and large, Government people know a lot about politicking and little about running a business. Thereupon, you are asked to come back and get them straightened out. Being out of work and with kids to feed, you say okay. But it isn't your business or industry any longer, and you're just a hireling. You can't make a profit on this deal because the Government now owns the business and there is no profit for you. The old incentive is gone for good.

If nationalization of oil properties is looked upon with "sympathetic interest" by the American Government in the case of Iran (where there are no American interests can it not be reasoned that it's okay in countries upon whom we rely not only for oil, but for rubber, iron ore and other strategic and critical materials? From that point, it's just as easy to reason that such industries should be owned by the National Government here in the U. S. A.?

Last month, our Government told others to work out "principles of nationalization" even though we're dead set agin' 'em ourselves. We are—but are our international politicians?

Trouble Shooting Demonstrated

DODGE dealers of Los Angeles recently put on a show that caused considerable public interest and lined up a new crop of mechanics for their service departments. Working with the L. A. Board of Education they sponsored a Trouble Shooting Contest among mechanic trainees attending trade and vocational schools. The show was outdoors and televised. The swiftness, efficiency, competence and courtesy of the young mechanics was rewarded with fine trophies and the public got a good look at what well-trained mechanics do.

Know How and Sell How

In the automotive service trade today the mechanic is far from the ancient blacksmith who was his forerunner fifty years ago.

He is an expert in his field and with the aid of highly developed tools and modern shop equipment he can be a master mechanic commanding as much respect as any professional.

The knowledge that he has the ability to do a perfect job is the power required by service dealers to sell their know-how and increase their profit stature.

There is no such thing as a good mechanic who does not know how to sell his service. A few simple rules are all that are needed in accomplishing these results.

Granted that he knows his ability to perform, he need only add these tips to improve his ability as a service salesman.

Be friendly, be pleasant.

Be willing, be alert.

Be honest with your customer, be honest with yourself and don't be afraid to ask them to buy.

Frank D. Tighe.



DODGE-PLYMOUTH dealer in Philadelphia successfully rebuilds Fluid Drive couplings for all Chrysler products. They not only rebuild their own units but also supply the trade with exchange units. Over the past three years 500 couplings have been recondi-

tioned successfully. The units carry a 4000-mile or 90-day guarantee which includes labor for removing and replacing the unit.

These units have been reconditioned in the field in the past but it was impossible to replace the front bearing. When this bearing became

Fig. 4. To remove the front bearing cover insert a drift pin from the opposite side and drive the cover out.

Fig. 5. Remove the front bearing by using another special collet on the slide hammer to pull it out.

Fig. 6. Next, examine the bellows seal seat and, if it is marked or pitted, hone the surface of the seat.









Fig. 1. The pressure plate nut is removed with a special wrench and holding tool. The plate is taken off with the puller.



Fig. 2. After the pressure plate is removed, the opposite side of the wrench is used to unscrew the bellows seal assembly.



Fig. 3. Insert another special expanding tool in the runner hub bushings. Use a slide hammer to remove the bushings.

Can Be Rebuilt

noisy, the unit was discarded and replaced with a new one. With the method given here, the front bearing can be replaced as well.

Any mechanic can be trained to recondition these units if he is supplied with the necessary special tools (Continued on page 86)

7. It is advisable to stake the runner hub to provide a tight fit for the bearing. A special tool is used.

Fig. 8. Sometimes it is necessary to install an oversize front bearing. The cutter shown is used for this purpose.

A major overhaul on these units includes replacement of inner bearings. Here's how this major job is performed

by Jack Montgomery

Technical Editor

Fig. 9. A cutaway view of the overhauled Fluid Drive unit showing all the principle working parts.









Let's Look at the "Offy"

The 103 cu. in. Offenhauser engine, produced by Meyer & Drake Engineering Corp.,

HE three midget race cars at the left in the scene above are powered by the famous 103 cubic inch Offenhauser engine, now being manufactured by the Meyer & Drake Engineering Corporation, Los Angeles, Calif.

Two of the cars are owned by Anthony Caccia, a corner of whose shop is shown in the illustration. The other midget and the big car are stored and maintained by Tony. The big car was 1946 winner at Indianapolis.

Fig. 1. The double concentric valve springs. Notice also the finned water jacket which is removable by taking out the screws around the edge of the plate.

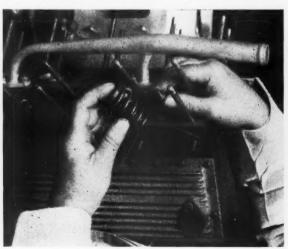
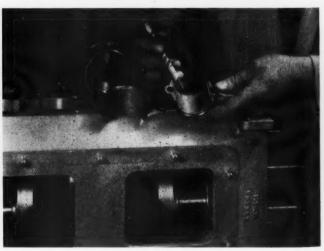


Fig. 2. A connecting rod bearing which has been removed after twenty races. The surface is still shiny and free of pits, suitable for further dependable use.



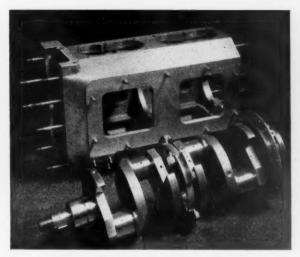


Fig. 4. The crankshaft and main bearings removed from the crankcase. The mains are babbitt-lined bronze castings which bolt to the crankcase webs.

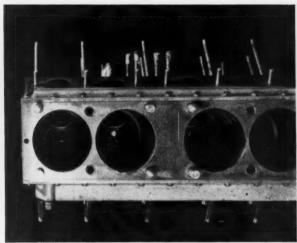


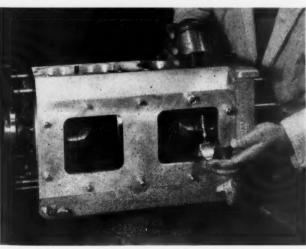
Fig. 5. Looking inside the integral block and head. The valve ports can be seen up in the combustion chamber, with the plug hole in the center.

by Arthur H. Nellen, Jr., Service Editor

is now used in almost all midget race cars

While in Tony's shop in Rosemont, Pa., MOTOR AGE had an opportunity to look inside the Offenhauser. These engines are torn down at least once every three races in order that rings, bearings and valves can be examined. Dusty tracks

Fig. 3. Removing a piston from the crankcase, using the large hand holes which are provided for this purpose. In operation, a plate covers the holes.



play havoc with internal engine parts, and ring and valve jobs are performed frequently.

Everything about the "Offy" is special. Special fuel, methyl alcohol, is used; special plugs of a cold heat range are used; a special floatless carburetor is used, which

employs a standpipe and two fuel pumps, one from the tank and one to return the excess to the tank.

The cylinder block is a single piece, nickeliron casting with the head cast as an integral part of the block. The reason for the one-piece construction is that high compression ratios (13-1 to 15-1) and high speeds (7500 rpm) cause extreme pressures and vibrations, which might cause head-gasket failure. The integral construction eliminates this hazard. The combustion chamber is hemispherical in design, accurately cast for uniformity. The spark plug is located exactly in the center of the chamber, with the valve ports on either side.

The block is fastened to the crankcase by half-inch studs. The aluminum crankcase is of the barrel type, designed to insure rigidity and simplicity. It has a dry sump base, which provides no reserve of oil in the crankcase. The main oil supply is kept in a reservoir tank underneath the driver's seat. Fifteen quarts of a high grade SAE 50 oil flow through the system. Two oil pumps are incorporated in the crankcase, one to pump oil through the engine at 80 pounds pressure and the other to scavenge (Continued on page 90)



Much helpful information on body repairs is available in Chilton's Motor Age Body and Frame Manual.

Try your estimates on these wrecks and compare figures with those given on page 114

OTOR AGE showed these six pictures to a group of body and fender experts. They were asked individually for time estimates on each job, considering only body metal straightening and refinishing. No frame straightening, wheel alignment, glass replacement or trim work was to be counted in the estimate. Just the straightening of the body panels which are mentioned in the captions. It is assumed for the purpose of this quiz that none of the damaged parts are replaceable.

Write your estimates in the spaces provided under the pictures and then turn to page 114 to compare your figures with the average of the estimates submitted by Motor Age's group of experts.



Straighten, align and refinish the left front fender and hood on this '49 Ford.

1. Time estimate: hours.

Clock Yourself

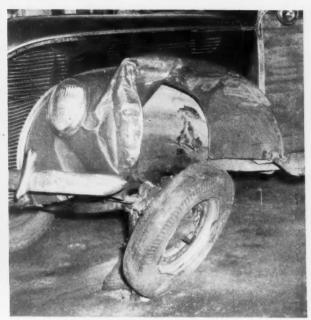
The right door of this '50 Studebaker coupe has a good "dish". Straighten and refinish the panel.

4. Time estimate: hours.





Here's a bent door on a '50 Pontiac. Straighten, align and refinish the door 2. Time estimate: hours. . .



The left front fender on this '38 Ford is to be bumped out and refinished.

3. Time estimate: hours.

on Body Bumping

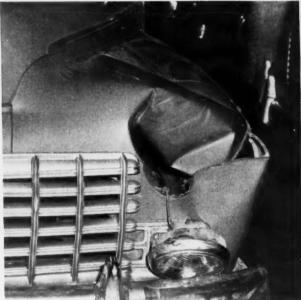
Both fenders and the hood need straightening, aligning and refinishing on this '49 Studebaker.

5. Time estimate: hours.

Another left front fender job. This time it's on a '46 Dodge. How long to straighten and paint?

6. Time estimate: hours.





Tips On

Overhauling Generators

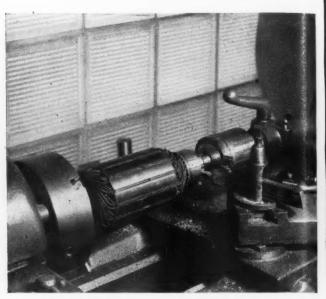
A mechanic need not be a specialist for generator reconditioning, so long as the proper test equipment is used and an approved procedure is followed

by Jack Montgomery

Technical Editor

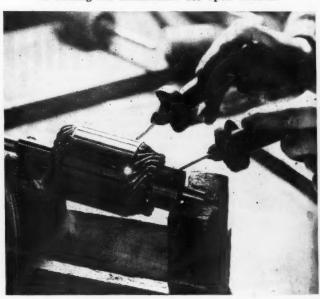
O overhaul a generator properly when a generator test bench isn't available, the following instruments are necessary to test the generator, the cutout relay, and the voltage or current regulator: a voltmeter with a full scale reading from zero to ten volts (for 6-volt systems) or a zero to twenty volts (for 12-volt systems), an ammeter with a full scale reading from minus 5 amps to 40 amps positive, and a ¾-ohm variable resistor (for 12-volt systems).

After the generator is disassembled and cleaned, inspect the commutator carefully where the armature wires are soldered, to see that they are firmly attached and to see that



1. Taking a cut off the commutator in a lathe.

4. Testing the commutator for open circuits.



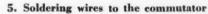
no solder has been thrown out. This can best be checked by examining the inner surface of the cover band after removing it. If bits of solder are found, it is a sure indication that the armature wires are probably loose.



2. Undercutting the commutator mica.



3. Testing the armature for grounds using a growler.





6. Winding special insulating tape on the field coil.



Examine each commutator bar for pits or burns. They very often indicate that the damaged bar is connected to an open or short circuited coil. If the wires are loose or detached at the commutator or the solder has been thrown out, it will be necessary to re-solder them and all the excess solder between the commutator bar should be removed. The armature should then be installed in a growler; (Continued on page 120)



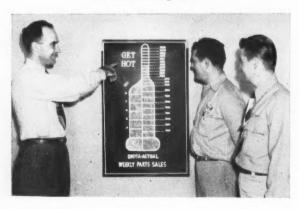
The Frank Kent Motor Co. building, Fort Worth, Tex. 116 employees work in the 256 ft. long structure

Successful Incentive Plan for Your Parts Department

Everyone in Frank Kent's dealership profits by their incentive plan, the success of which is evidenced by the firm's record of parts sales

by C. Thomas

Cliff Ternal, service manager, discusses quotas with two of the employees.



NE of the serious arguments against incentive pay plans is that they do not equitably include all the personnel who should justifiably be participants.

Frank Kent Motor Company, Ford Dealers, Fort Worth, Texas, worked out a plan that they say functions successfully as far as personnel is concerned and is one of the contributing factors that keeps this firm in fourth or fifth place in service and parts volume among Ford Dealers across the country.

Every employee participates equally as the parts volume warrants it.

First a weekly quota was set up. To make this easy to understand, we are going to call the weekly quota an even \$10,000. This, incidentally, is only a few dollars above the actual figure.

We know that some of the employees, according to the duties they perform, are worth more to the company than others. Therefore, base pay varies. For illustration, a counterman's base salary will be higher than a tire changer's.

But... as far as working in unison, the tire changer is in a good position to suggest parts to the customer he is serving. When he is being (Continued* on page 72)



WHAT IS SLUDGE?

HAT is oil sludge and varnish that is found inside most engines, around the valve springs, piston rings and in the crankcase? It is usually carbon, dust or other materials held together by gummy or oxidized oil. Foreign materials are presnet in any engine due to the result of normal engine operation such as products of combustion, carbon in finely divided form, dust being drawn through the carburetor or breather. Also small particles of metal from the bearings. rings and cylinders would

wear and combine with oxygen to form metallic oxides. If it were possible to get rid of the detrimental elements as quickly as they were formed in service, satisfactory performance could be maintained indefinitely. But here is what happens: Sludge and gum builds up and gradually accumulates and fills in the slots in the oil control rings. This makes them stick fast in their grooves, causing pistons to slap and the engine to lose power. Then the blowby past the piston rings forces unburned, heavy ends of gasoline and products of combustion down into the crankcase. This dilutes and contaminates the engine oil. On the intake stroke excess quantities of lubricating oil containing minute particles of sludge, are drawn into the combustion chamber,



Here is an open discussion on the main causes of sludge formation and the methods of preventing it

and then to the valve stem and guides. Heavy sludge or gum on the valves soon causes the valves to stick, the engine loses power and overheats.

Sludge, gum and carbon are all closely related. Sludge when stewed down by heat becomes gum and gum when burned becomes carbon. Sludge usually increases the consumption of both the gasoline and the oil.

If fuel is entering the crankcase, causing dilution, it could be the result of the carburetor float level being set too high, or worn car-

buretor jets or a faulty needle valve in the carburetor. This would cause flooding or faulty automatic choke. Fuel pumps should be checked for excessive pressure and cracked diaphragms, that cause fuel leakage into the crankcase.

Water in the oil accounts for most sludge and varnish in engines and it can be kept to a minimum by keeping the crankcase temperature above 120 degrees. This can also be done by using a thermostat in the cooling system that opens around 160 degrees or higher.

A head gasket that doesn't seal properly will allow water to enter the combustion chamber and rapidly cause sludge. When lacquer or varnish forms in an engine, it is usually the outgrowths or by-product of gasoline and engine gum.

Pop Beats a Hum

Larry thought that the car's trouble was chronic until Pop showed him how a dislocated

OMMY WINTERS looked up from the tire he was changing on the floor of Pop O'Neill's Repair Shop as Larry Tait came striding in.

"How'd it go?" said Tommy.

Before replying Larry mopped his perspiring face with a grimy blue bandana. "Lousy," he

said. "That hum in the rear end is pinion bearings, all right. It means a whole rear end job, and we'll have to do it fast. Better leave that tire and give me a hand with it. At least until we get it apart."

Tommy stood up and wiped his hands on his coveralls. "Sure," he said. "Drive her in back."



with a Hunch

diagnosis hindered the cure . . . by Charles M. Kenyon, Managing Editor



Pop O'Neill

He went for his tool box and Larry drove the 1947 Buick Special into the back room. Tommy jacked up the rear end of the car and crawled under on a creeper. When the torque tube was disconnected and the rear out from under, Larry came walking brusquely over to Tommy. "Better get that tire done now," he said. "That one's a

friend of Pop's, too, and we can't keep him waiting either. I can handle this one alone now."

He worked fast and expertly and before quitting time had installed new pinion bearings, examined the ring gear carefully, and replaced the unit, setting it up with a dial indicator.

As he wiped his carefully scrubbed hands on the big roller towel, Larry said to Tommy, "Just a road-test in the mornin' and we'll be through with this one."

Pop O'Neill opened up the shop himself, as usual, about half an hour before Tommy showed up, and a good three quarters of an hour before Larry usually put in his appearance.

When Tommy came in Pop turned to him, "Good mornin', Boy," he smiled. "Did Larry get that '47 Buick finished last night? It looks O.K."

"I think he did," Tommy replied. "But it hasn't been road tested yet, and you know what happened when I let one go without road testing it. We better be sure we test it good."

"Well, back it out," said Pop. "I'd like to get this one out of the way. Mac Fisher really blows off if you keep him waiting. When Larry comes he'll road test it. The way Mac spoke at the Lions Club the other night, though, it sure sounded like pinion bearings to me. That's what Larry said it was, didn't he?"

"That's what it was, all right," Tommy echoed. "Not much doubt about it."

But when Larry came back from road testing the Buick, his face looked mighty grim. "After just getting in high gear," he growled, "that damn rear end started to hum again as bad as a swarm of hungry bees. I just wasted every hot minute I worked on it yesterday. It is no better than before he brought it in. The thing is probably a lemon, anyhow."

That was one word which could always get a rise out of Pop. "There's no such thing as a lemon," Pop declared for the thousandth time since Larry had worked for him. "Only cars which haven't been repaired right! Let's take a

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Self Service Repair Shop

An unusual idea enters the automotive

by R. Raymond Kay

SELF-SERVICE has come to the automotive repair industry. Ray Woolley, of Los Angeles, a 20-year veteran in engine rebuilding, operates a shop where the customer can come in and be his own mechanic on his own car.

After a full year's operation, Woolley reports an average of six to eight customers a day on a seven-day week. Customers take about a fourth to a third longer to do the work than a regular mechanic would take.

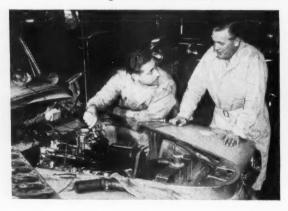
The shop is located near the business center of Los Angeles. The heaviest traffic comes in over the weekend, when most of the major repair jobs show up. Often, customers with big overhaul jobs come in Friday evening, work until 10

o'clock when the shop closes, and continue straight through Saturday and Sunday in order to have their cars ready for work on Monday.

The shop layout, covering 8,500 sq ft, includes 22 stalls, a completely equipped machine shop, cleaning department, parts and tool section and office. Two overhead rails, each with two hoists, can accommodate four customers simultaneously. Six heavy duty floor jacks are also available. Woolley's pride and joy are six work benches which he made himself. The benches are constructed of % in. steel, with vises attached, and are mounted on casters. They are easily rolled to any stall and the square-yard top surface will hold an engine block. This makes for easier working conditions for the customer and helps to keep the shop floor from getting cluttered.

When the customer drives in, he rents a stall at \$1 for the first hour, 50¢ for the second hour,

Mechanics are always on hand to help customers who need assistance.



Ray Woolley stands by as one of his rebuilt engines is installed.





repair field as a California shop sets up to allow customers to do their own work

 25ϕ for each additional hour, the total charge not to be over \$2.50 per day. The rental entitles him to the use of the chain hoist, floor jacks, four floor stands, necessary pans, and one of the steel work benches if he needs it. Tool kits, holding about \$60 worth of hand tools, can be rented for \$1 a day. Other tools not in the kit are available from the toolroom for 5ϕ to 25ϕ a day.

Woolley sets a limit of two workers on a car, finding from his long experience that even in the autorepair shop "too many cooks spoil the broth." A foreman is on the floor at all times to consult with (Continued on page 114)



Cars of all makes and vintages come into Ray Woolley's shop for work.

A complete line of reputable parts out tool department rents out tool kits and special tools.





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READERS CLEARING HOUSE

Trouble

- Steering adjustment on Buick Super
- Plymouth lacks power after tune-up
- Noise in Ford drive line
- 2,000 miles on plugs with thi scar
- Poor idle after carburetor overhaul
- Electrical problem on transmission

Steering Adjustment On Buick Super

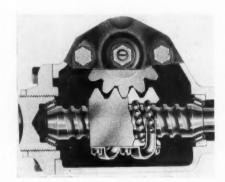
We have a 1949 Buick Super that has a bind in the steering. When making a U-turn the wheel gets hard to turn at one spot.

What We Did:

We adjusted the worm and the sector and also checked for frozen king pin. As far as we know this car has never been in an accident. Submitted by: Lansdowne Auto Service, 1544 North Redfield Street, Phila., Pa.

We Suggest:

I would go over the steering adjustment again. This time disconnect the steering tie rod from the pitman arm. Then turn the steering wheel in one direction until it stops and then turns back on revolution. Check the lash between the ball nut and the pitman shaft by working the pitman arm. If no backlash is felt, loosen the lock nut and turn the pitman shaft, adjusting the screw counter clockwise until some backlash is felt when working the pitman arm. If, after making this adjustment, the steering still binds, it would indicate misalignment of the steering gear assembly in its mountings or a sprung steering column. Misalignment can be corrected by loosening the four steer-



ing gears to frame bolts and the two steering column brackets bolts. Center the steering column in the cutout in the dash panel and tighten the column bracket bolts. Then recheck the pitman shaft, adjusting the screw adjustment.

After a Tune-Up, This Plymouth is Slow on Hills

I recently rode to the High Sierras in a 1949 Plymouth. On heavy grades, the motor slowed down and seemed not to be getting sufficient fuel. Temperature was near the boiling point. This is a car I have serviced regularly, so I am familiar with its operation. After the owner shifted to low gear and gunned the throttle, it picked up and reached the top of the grade and, as soon as we started down, the temperature dropped to normal running. The owner asked me what caused the trouble and I wondered if it could be vapor lock.

What We Did:

The car has just passed 30,000 miles and has had the coil replaced during the tune-up check for mileage. Also it has had a lean metering jet installed in the carburetor. Submitted by: K. F. Kirkpatrick, 443 Texas Street, Pomona, Calif.

We Suggest:

On the 1949 Plymouth, the trouble is not due to vapor lock but due to a lean mixture which will make an engine run hot. Another possibility would be a head gasket leak under a heavy load, but if no coolant was lost this condition would be improbable. I suggest putting back the standard jet instead of the lean metering jet.

Shooting Problems

- Vibration problem with Frazer
- Chevrolet leaks oil from rear main
- A Buick has differential grease leak
- Half-throttle miss in this Cadillac
- Clicking noise in Olds propeller shaft

by Jack Montgomery, Technical Editor



Noise in Ford Drive Line Presents a Problem

1950 Ford has a noise in the drive line when the car is starting in low or in reverse. It sounds like a loose wheel or slack in some part.

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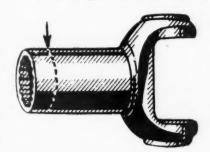
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Put in a new spider gear, new drive shaft and still there is no improvement. Submitted by: Hanlon Service, Hermosa, South Dakota.

We Suggest:

Remove the driveshaft and either cut or grind the driveshaft



\(\frac{1}{8} \) of an inch from the front end. What you will find is that the driveshaft bottoms in the front joint causing the noise. When re-

assembling put some white lead in the front joint where the shaft slides in and out.

Chevrolet Police Car Has Plug Failure at 2000 Miles

The trouble in one of our 1950 Chevrolet police cars is that the car pops back under acceleration and will not accelerate to even moderately high speeds after every 1000 miles of driving. At this time we sand blasted the plugs, set the gaps and reinstalled them and got about an average additional 7 to 8 hundred miles from it. The combustion ratio and timing and cooling are always kept correct.

What We Did:

We installed new rings and did a valve job and installed new plugs, which failed after 1200 miles. There has been no noticeable difference in plug life on any make or heat range. We changed the complete electrical system, wires, distributor and coil, still no improvement. Also a change was made in the carburetor from a rich to a lean mixture. Still no results. Submitted by: P. M. Smoak, Perry

Smoak Chevrolet Co., 324 West Main Street, Farmington, New Mexico.

We Suggest:

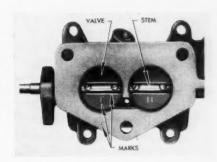
When the engine is operating under normal conditions, changing the heat range usually takes care of a plug problem. Check the thermostat to make sure it is O.K. Also make sure the damper valve on the exhaust manifold is free. Also try installing new valve packing on the valves. Try changing the spark plug setting from .040 to .035 inch. Also add an additional gasket under each spark plug.

Car Won't Idle Down After Carburetor is Overhauled

We overhauled a Stromberg carburetor on a Buick, 1950, and after putting it on the car we can't seem to make the engine idle slow enough. It runs smooth but we can't cut the idle speed down. Incidentally, this trouble didn't exist before we took the carburetor off. Submitted by: R. H. Erny, 1729 Cherry Street, Phila., Pa.

We Suggest:

If you're sure there are no air leaks at the gaskets and the vacuum lines are not leaking, I would suggest removing the carburetor to check the butterfly



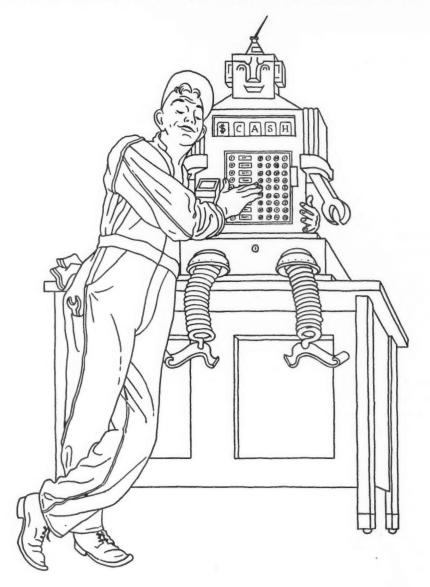
valves. These valves are marked and if mismated they will not seat properly in the carburetor throat. Marks will be found on the valves and on the throat flange.

Electrical Problem on Chrysler Transmission

We've had trouble with Chrysler cars equipped with automatic (Continued on page 122)

The

ROBOT BOOKKEEPER



When properly used, a good cash register can be made to perform a variety of bookkeeping functions which might otherwise require additional help in the office In this mechanical age the automobile dealer and repairman should take advantage of every mechanical gadget that will cut costs and increase profits. Usually, in this field, mechanization is considered in connection with shopwork because modern shop equipment is a big profit-builder. But mechanization is also useful in the office, especially in connection with the bookkeeping system, which is as essential to successful operation as competent workmanship in the repair department. We know many an operator in this field who does topflight repair work but he doesn't earn topflight profits because his bookkeeping system is below par.

One mechanical tool that is a big help in keeping books properly is the cash register. It is an automatic bookkeeper that speeds up bookwork, assures greater accuracy of recording and cuts its cost the same as an analyzer cuts job costs by speeding up the examination and repair of a sick engine. Bookkeeping can be done easily, inexpensively and accurately by means of a modern cash register. It serves as a bookkeeper without pay, records the original entries at the time the transaction takes place, never makes a mathematical blunder and requires a minimum of bookwork in transferring the daily summaries to cash receipts and disbursements records and business statements. The small operator who cannot afford a bookkeeper cannot afford to be without a modern cash register. As for the larger operator, he can also use it to advantage because it short-cuts a lot of bookwork and makes it more economical to handle the recording of transactions. Of course, cash registers are not novelties in this field, one finds them in almost every establishment, but in too many cases they are obsolete machines that do not provide the bookkeeping facilities obtainable with modern units.

Balancing the daily cash is a headache to many operators, especially where more than one person handles the money. Sometimes it takes many hours to find shortages or overages. Sometimes they are never found. Some operators have a "Cash Discrepancy" account. Auditing it one will find almost daily entries showing that the cash was over or short. With a cash register the cash is balanced in a jiffy, saving many hours of work each week. If more than

one person handles the cash intake and outgo there are separate cash drawers and separate sales totals making each clerk responsible for his own mistakes. If the boss is busy, the cash may be balanced by others because the money taken in by each clerk is registered and the total of the day's receipts is a secret under a control lock that only the boss can open with his key.

Departmentization is made easy with a modern cash register. The operator who records sales and expenses for the business as a whole is not doing a good bookkeeping job because he doesn't know which departments or lines are making the most money or which are losing money. In every business there will be one or more "weak sisters" carried along by the more profitable lines. Unless the books are kept on a departmental basis, the operator never catches these profit-pilferers and they cost him plenty each year.

When doing bookwork by hand many operators make no attempt to departmentize because the process is too time-consuming and complicated. Using a modern register, you get the daily sales by departments or lines—gasoline, oil, brake service, tires, batteries, major overhauls, tune-up service, accessories, etc.—so that you can determine the profit or loss for each classification.

Inventory control and its calculation for monthly profit and loss statements is simplified by means of a modern cash register. The recording of transactions by item, stock number and department make it possible to keep an accurate record of stock on hand and it will also help the operator buy and sell to best advantage.

One of the worst bookkeeping problems is gasoline control. Without an adequate register, a great deal of gas can be pumped out of a tank and the boss won't find it out right away. Eventually, of course, he will compare his sales with his purchases and look for the source of the loss, but in the meantime he is out considerable money and without an adequate recording device he may never find out why his gallonage was short. Using a modern register, the total gallonage shown on the register must tally with the readings on the gas pump meters daily. This

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Removing a transmission using an electric impact wrench and a two-post hoist helps to speed this type of job.

Time savers in each work bay are tote wagons, trash cans, water and air lines.





Removing cylinder head bolts with an electric impact wrench reduces time on a tedious operation.

Delivery of work orders to and from the parts department with the carrier tube dispatch system.



How to

Speed Service Save Time

Provide your employees with tools which help them to turn out more work faster

THE service shop owner or manager who looks ahead needs no crystal ball to see that service work will soon pile up. Decreasing manpower means congestion of work; and forthcoming taxes and higher prices on new cars will keep a lot of old cars on the road. The combination spells trouble - unless the shop knows how to handle a greater volume of work each and every day.

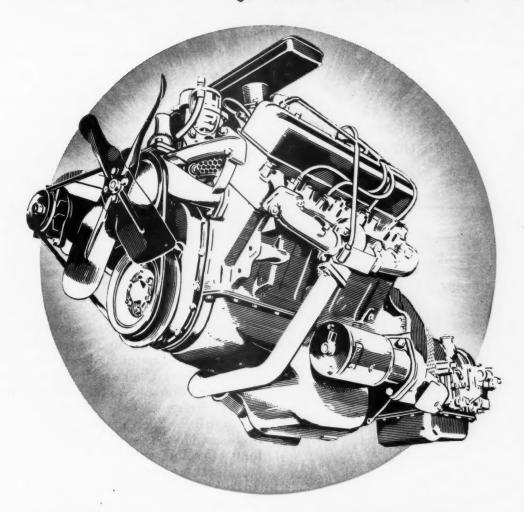
More speed in servicing means keeping the shop operating at top turnover. The problem of how to get greater speed without sacrificing quality of service has been solved by the Fred Morganstern Chevrolet Corp. in Reading, Pa. The service shop, managed by Pat DiGardi, is a fine example of how planning, organization, and the use of completely modern and up-to-date equipment can speed service, save time, and build profits for the business.

The daily turnover of this shop is 75-80 cars. This substantial volume is due largely to the complete mechanization of the shop and the frequent use of power tools.

Here's the way the shop operates. As the car is driven in, a service salesman steps up immediately, gets the trouble story, and writes out a work order. Mechanization enters here - almost at the first step — with the shooting of the work order carbons through a compressed air tube dispatcher directly to the parts department. They're there in five seconds. A mechanic

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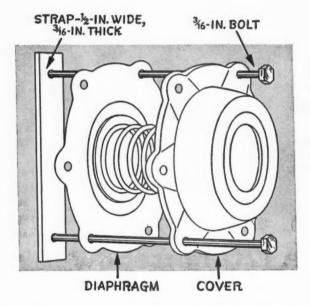


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Best Kink of the Month



A Short Cut on Powerglide Jobs

We have a method for replacing the modulator diaphragm on Chevrolet Powerglide cars without removing the transmission. Remove the modulator housing and diaphragm from the side. Use a small piece of strap iron ½ inch wide and 1/16 inch thick. Put it over the diaphragm to hold it against the modulator housing. Then drill two 3/16 inch holes in this and insert two 3/16 inch screws 3/4 inch long. Use the screws to keep the diaphragm from getting turned so the screw holes will line up with the modulator housing. Assemble the parts and insert into place. Insert the screws enough to hold. Slip the strap out from behind the diaphragm, then tighten the screws. George Alexander, Winter Chevrolet, Inc.

Remove Hudson Hood Squeak by Filing the Catch

To eliminate the annoying hood squeak on all 1948 Hudsons, file a half circle across the front of the safety catch where it strikes the opening for it in the hood. Ten out of ten latches we have found to have been fixed by wrapping the friction tape around the latch

which does not prove satisfactory. We use a rat tail file and can do the job in about sixty seconds. Dale Batinovich, c/o Sam's Automotive Service, San Jose, Calif.

Horn Relay in Starter Circuit Saves Push Button

We have had some trouble with burned out starter push buttons. We have found that this trouble is caused by the high current draw necessary to engage the solenoid at the starter. We have eliminated this trouble completely by installing a regular horn relay to handle this current, relieving the push button of this load. We mount the horn relay as near as possible to the starter, usually on the firewall (Continued on page 60)



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Zin I Chrome Piston Ring Set

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The 2-in-1 Chrome Set more than doubles the life of cylinders, pistons and rings, because solid chrome plating on top compression rings and the steel rails of the oil rings assures twice the life of ordinary ring sets! Yes, for double service, double life, sustained power and new economy—specify 2-in-1! Perfect Circle Corporation, Hagerstown, Indiana.

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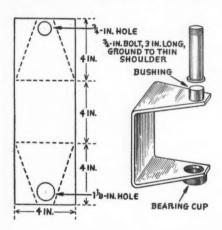
The Standard of Comparison



with self tapping screws. Run a #10 wire from the battery terminal on the starter solenoid to the battery terminal on the relay. Next run the #10 wire from the horn terminal on the relay to the switch terminal on the solenoid. Switch on the push button wire which has been removed from the solenoid. Then it is connected to the horn button terminal on the relay. On Cadillacs, remove the short push button wire from the ignition switch and secure it to a good ground. If the ignition switch protection is desired in Cadillacs, a 1951 Buick starter relay should be used and the ground made at the relay. On others remove the short push button wire from the ammeter and connect to the ground. William E. Alderson, 442 Pine Street. Modesto, California.

Small Press Helps to Service Universal Joints

I made a small press to service 1949 or later Ford universal joints,



or any joint employing a bushing and lock, of which there are plenty. I use a bench vise for power.

After the driveshaft is removed, set the press in the vise. Remove all the lock rings. Press the first bearing through as far as the yoke will permit into the large cup of the press. Then remove this bearing and turn the joint over and press the yoke through. The yoke can now be tipped and removed. Use the vise to reassemble.

This makes a tough job easy

and one man can service both joints in thirty minutes. Jack Harrison, Osceola, Neb.

Repairing Dead Wiper Motors on '49-'51 Chevrolets

Remove the valve mechanism cover and gasket and, using needle nose pliers, lift out the top of the kidney valve. Then measure the distance from the top of the brass pipe to the base of the wiper head. If this distance exceeds ½ in., drive the pipe down so it will protrude ½ in. Replace the kidney valve, the cover and the gasket. Install the wiper in the car and it should work properly. Lester E. Worner, Wheaton Auto, Wheaton, Mass.

Special Tool for Removing Pistons

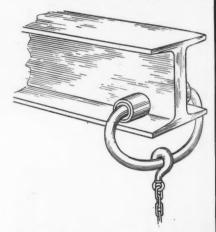
A quick way to restore Ford steel sleeves to their original shape so the pistons will come out easily, is to take an old Ford axle housing, No. 68-4011 and cut a piece off the housing six inches long so that the small tapering end will just start in the sleeve. Grind off the electric weld seam. Then take the hammer and drive down until the sleeve is restored to the original position. Knock the piece of housing from side to side, then pull out. The piston will come out easily. Ray Grauss, Medina Garage, Medina, Tenn.

Repairing Door Catch Eliminates Rattle on Ford

I have found a very good way to stop door rattles caused by worn door catches on '49 Fords. Remove the door catch and, with a welding outfit, build up the mound on the catch approximately 3/32 inch. Then dress the weld to fit the latch before re-installing the catch. This job can be accomplished in about 20 minutes and with a little touch-up paint the job can be made to look original. John Koppenhaver, J. C. Hess Garage, W. Chocolate Ave., Hershey, Pa.

I Beam Trolley for Use with Chain Hoists

When you need a trolley for your chain hoist, but can't get one at the time, here's a substitute that



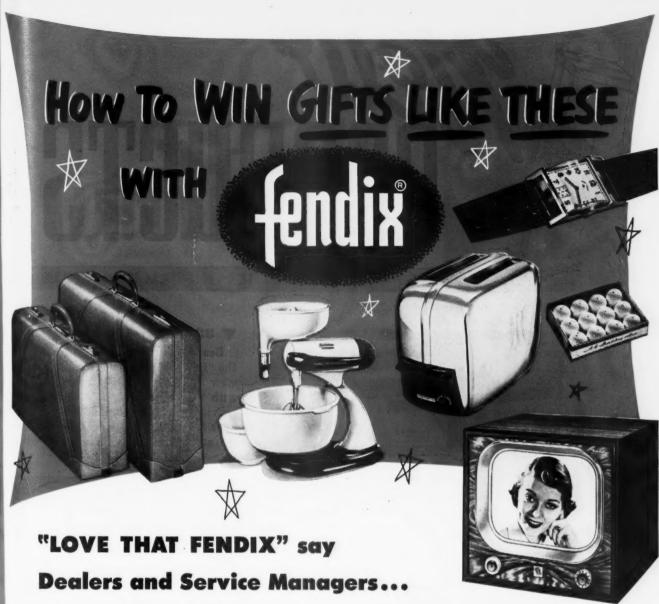
serves the purpose. Make hooks out of an old style propeller or axle shafts. Cut the shaft to the proper length, heat and shape as shown, then close them over the flange while hot. A couple of old double row ball-bearings on the ends would make it eaiser to move. L. A. Rall, Galesville, Wis.

Cone Made of Shim Stock Protects Seal from Spline

On many cars there is a leather grease seal around the steering gear cross shaft. When installing a new seal the splines on the cross shaft will cut the new seal. A piece of .005 in. shim stock that is rolled in a cone the right size, turned, soldered and slipped over the splines will protect the seal. Charles Lodge, 1540 Pine Street, San Francisco, Calif.

Installing Radiator on '46 and '47 Hudson

To make it a one man job of installing a radiator on the '46 and '47 Hudson, take two pieces of the old radiator hose and make mounting pads out of them. Discard the old pads, then take a pocket knife and cut a slit in the pads just large enough to allow radiator bolts to be forced through them. Push the bolts up through the frame and force the pads down over them. This will hold the bolts up in place while you carefully set the radiator down on them. Joe Broadway, 4021 So. 12th St., Tucson, Arizona.



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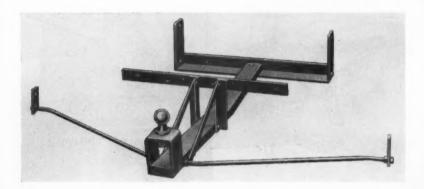
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PRODUCTS FOR FURTHER INFORMATION USE



▲ 335. Heavy Duty Trailer Hitch

Elkhart Welding & Boiler Works is marketing the bolt fast carhitch, designed for towing heavy trailer coaches. The hitch is of the bolt-on type, requiring no drilling of holes, welding or burning, and it is offered in alumiumn or chrome finish. It is custom made to fill all postwar cars, according to the manufacturer.

▼ 336. Solderless Connector Kit

Crescent Company is introducing a new kit containing a complete assortment of "Wiry Joe" solderless automotive connectors. The kit is furnished in a transparent plastic display cabinet with twelve compartments including the solderless terminals and the special Crescent Tool for installing the connectors.



▼ 337. Wheel Balancer

Bear Manufacturing Co. announces the "Perfect 36" Wheel Balancer. A full view dial mounted in a recessed panel with two other controls are claimed to provide four-way balancing performance. The dial with a sweep hand shows the amount of unbalance in the wheel



down to a fraction of an ounce and indicates the speed at which the balance occurs. The speed indicator also shows the customer "perfect balance" at speeds up to 100 mph. The machine shows the proper location to add weight and is adjustable to various size assemblies for maximum sensitivity.

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▲ 338. Sleeve Pulling Set

Owatonna Tool Company announces a special sleeve pulling and installing set as part of its Power-Twin Hydraulic Pulling System. The set will pull and install cylinder liners on more than 200 different makes and models of trucks, tractors and power units. It removes and installs sleeves from 3 in. to 6 in. OTC Sleeve Pullers may be adapted to the Power-Trim Unit by adding only a few parts.

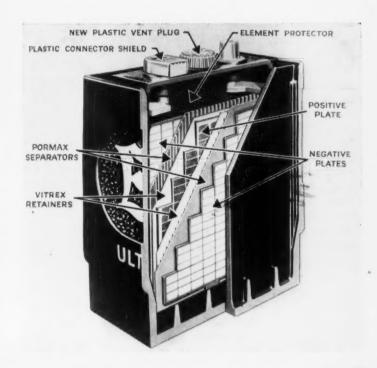
▲ 339. Key Cutting Machine

Kent-Moore Organization, Inc., announce a portable key cutting machine to duplicate auto and truck keys by code number with or without a pattern key. Known as the Handee Auto Key Punch, the device weighs $2\frac{1}{2}$ pounds and comes with all accessories needed to do the job.

▼ 340. Automotive Battery

The Electric Storage Battery Company has developed the Exide Ultra Start, a new automotive battery. The manufacturer states that this new unit should give many more years of service than previous batteries. Contributing to the longevity of the Ultra Start battery are Silvium, a corrosion resisting grid metal; a high capacity active material; a low specific gravity electrolyte; and the recently announced Pormax plastic separator.

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341. Service Cabinet

Natkin & Company is manufacturing the "Low Boy" service merchandiser, a 9 ft. long x 4 ft. high unit with a 60 in. Nat-Flex bench top. The Nat-Flex fracture proof, pressure bonded work bench top



is plastic sealed to resist damage by oil, grease or water. It is a nonconductor, thus being safe for electric tools, and will not interfere with electrical or magnetic testing equipment. Each locker in the merchandiser has two adjustable shelves, and a swing away parts washer is provided with a drain basket. Sockets are available for right to left hand installation. The recessed doors allow ample toe and knee room. A heavy duty duplex electric receptacle is mounted on the cabinet. A choice of standard departmental lettering is included.

342. Oil Additive

Mill River Products, Inc., has developed "Liqui-Moly," a new lubricant based on the metal molybdenum. The molybdenum is in an extremely finely-divided dry solid form, suspended in a compatible liquid so that it looks and can be handled like any conventional oil. It is poured into the crankcase and carried to the bearing-surfaces in the flow of oil. where it "plates out" on the working surface. It is held there by molecular attraction which, the manufacturer states, can only be completely removed by grinding. It is claimed that "Moly" film cannot be "squeezed out" by any amount of pressure or heat, and therefore the bearing-surfaces are always protected. Liqui-Moly is said to reduce temperatures, reduce frictional drag and wear, provide safe and break-in of new engines and ring jobs at high speeds and protect bearings from scoring or seizure in event of accidental loss of oil or radiator water.

343. Machinist's Vice

The Columbian Vice & Manufacturing Company have an improved line of malleable iron machinists' vises. The feature is the use of the new type graphitebronze self-lubricating thrust bearing located at the front of the sliding jaw. This absorbs the thrust of the steel screw head, and provides positive operation at the same time preventing wear and eliminating end play. Another feature consists of steel ball



handle ends which are forged from the handle stock itself. The vises are made in all standard size 3 inch to 8 inch jaw widths.

344. Power Sockets

Bonney Forge & Tool Works announce a complete line of power sockets which has been added to their line. The precision broached sockets are available in regular length with double square sockets for 1/2 inch drive. To meet the all purpose requirement where bolts run longer than the normal length of the nut, single hexagon, bolt clearance, length power sockets are available in 1/2 inch and 34 inch square drives. The sockets are made from selected alloy and specially treated to withstand rugged use.

345. Miniature Catalog

Bennett Pump Division of the John Wood Company is publishing a new 56-page miniature catalog, featuring a picture thumb index, designed to enable quick location of any of the sections covering the entire line of Bennett gasoline pumps, Eco automatic tireflators, Islander air-water units and small dispensing pumps.

346. Nameplates

Metalcraft, Inc., is manufacturing "Autographs," metal nameplates individually designed for retailers. The adhesive back autographs can be permanently mounted on any grease free surface, whether flat or curved. They are lithographed in red and black ink or chrome plated metal. Autographs are made in two sizes, 1% by 13/32 inch or 2% by 9/16 inch. The nameplate can be ordered in quantities of one hundred or more.

347. Portable Welder

The Precision Welder Mfg. Co. has added a new Shop-King welder to its line. The general (Model 25A) features six heat stages, has 20 to 100 amp. output, welds 24 gage to 3/16 inch thick, and handles rods 1/16 to 1/8 inch. This portable welder is designed for light production, fast maintenance and repair welding.

348. Window Vent Shade

The Auto Ventshade Co. has developed a Ventshade especially for "hard-tops," such as the Coupe de Ville, Bel Air, Victoria and so



forth. This device is claimed to eliminate rain leakage, add ventilation during a storm and increase shade. The shade is made of chrome plated stainless steel.

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Free Information

Here is a recap of the New Products described in this issue, along with their code numbers. On each of the postage-paid postcards below you can request further data on items described in this New Products section. Fill out one of the sections completely for each item in which you are interested.

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349. Shop Owner's Manual

Allen Electric & Equipment Co. is publishing a manual entitled "How to Operate a Profitable Service Department." The purpose of this manual is to furnish shops with a guide and instruction for equipping and operating a complete department for testing, adjusting and repairing the various

units and wiring which make up the battery, regulator and generator circuits. The manual contains over 100 pages and over 60 illustrations. The first section covers setting up a department, its functions and possibilities; the second section contains detailed instructions for fast and accurate locations of electrical system failures through a systematic method of diagnosis; complete regulator and generator testing are covered in the third section; section four shows how to adjust and repair generators; section five contains complete factory specifications for regulators and generators.

350. Fuel Regulator

The Schneider Carburetor Company announced development of a new fuel pressure regulator, applicable to all cars and trucks. which it claims eliminates gasoline waste due to excessive fuel pump pressure. The device is installed in the gasoline fuel line between the fuel pump and the carburetor. It reduces fuel pressure and evens fuel pump pulsations of gasoline in the fuel line, according to the firm, making the flow of gasoline more uniform and constant when it enters the carburetor. The fuel pressure regulator fits any modern car and its pressure to the carburetor is preset at the factory. No adjustments are necessary.

351. Brake Catalog

South Gate Brake Specialties
Co. have released Catalog 151 illustrating, describing and pricing their complete line of brake products. New items shown in the catalog are the Rocket Hydraulic Brake Booster, "C" Washers, and Filcoolator Oil Heat Exchanger and Filter. These items are in addition to their regular line of Chrysler-type Brake Shoe Anchor Bolts, Brake Cable Adjusters, and Ford and Chevrolet Brake Energizers.

352. Brake Bleeder

C. F. Patrick has developed the Patrick Better Brake Bleeder, a device which is said to shorten bleeding time to one minute for each wheel cylinder. The bleeder has been designed for use on hydraulic brake system using the open end nipple type wheel cylinder valve. It is held in one hand while the liquid flowing from the cylinder is kept clean and the system sealed against the re-entry of air into the lines.

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Flat Rate and Service Manual

Service Suggestions

The information presented here has been compiled from the Factory Service Bulletins, as an additional service of Chilton's Motor Age Flat Rate and Service Manual Department.

Selected by William H. Lutton
Assistant Editor
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Steering Column Tube Noise On 1951 Studebaker

It has been found, on some of the early 1951 Commander and Champion models, that the felt insulator at the base of the steering column tube could get out of its proper place, which would permit cold air and engine fumes to get up inside of the body.

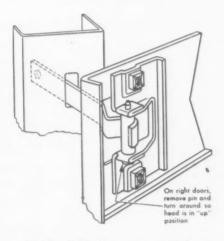
You can correct this condition as follows: Tape over the large access hole at the top of the tube between the dash and the instrument board with a good grade of masking tape.

Door Check Link Support On Chevrolet Cars

Some cases have been reported from the field where the door check link support pin has worked out just on the right doors. In the following up of this complaint, it was found that the door check link support, Part No. 4561013, is interchangeable on both right and left front and rear doors of all 1949 through 1951 closed body styles and station wagons.

Inspection of the part in ques-

tion indicated that when it was installed on a right door the head of the pin which holds the roller was down and that it could work out during the operation of the mechanism. As a result of these findings, a staking operation has been added on the end of the pin oppospite the head, and the pin diameter has also been increased to provide additional strength.



In the field, if replacement is required on right doors, the part should be checked to make sure that the pin is staked. If it is not staked, the pin should be removed and inserted with its head up when it is installed in the hinge pillar.

Modification of Torque Tube Bushing Remover

Due to a change in the size of the 1951 Chevrolet propeller shaft housing diameter, it is now necessary to adapt your bushing remover for use on both sizes.

Your torque tube bushing re-

mover tool No. J-4258 was designed for the removal of the pressed-in type propeller shaft bushings on late 1950 model passenger and 1/2ton trucks. Now with the introduction of the 1951 models, the propeller shaft housing diameter has been increased with a subsequent increase in the O.D. size of the bushings. As a result of this increase in size, your tool designed for 1950 bushing removals is too small on the sleeve I.D. and where tool usage is attempted on 1951 models, a definite interference is encountered.

To adapt this tool so that it may be used for both 1950 and 1951 models it is only necessary to grind the I.D. of the sleeve .040 in. over its present I.D. of 1¾ in.

New Wiring Arrangement on Nash Overdrive Governor

Beginning at car serial number D-30452, K-472762 and R-624779 on the 1951 series, the overdrive governor to the lockout switch wire is being installed underneath the rubber boot and is located to the lower side of the governor. Then it passes underneath the overdrive case to the lockout switch. To insure a uniform location of the wire, wire the clip Part No. 3125218 is being installed on the lower overdrive case screw.

This new method of installation also provides a vent for the boot.

If the governor fails due to condensation shorting out the circuit, remove the cover and dry out the interior with compressed air.

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assume we don't have it. They can't take time to search our warehouse . . . or contact a stockman and have him hunt the part. The stockman could easily say, 'We're out.' The sale of a part has been lost. Even worse, that part may be the first on the customer's list. Upon finding out we don't have it . . . and he will have to go else-

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where for it, he may decide to buy everything at the other source of supply.

"Take our back counter," Jones continued. "One of our mechanics comes up for parts to complete a job he's working on. If he has to wait unreasonably long at the counter, the time wasted costs him money . . . and when the mechanic is losing time, we are, too! We only make money from our mechanics when they are producing . . yet overhead continues endlessly for us."

Every employee directly helps or hinders another.

It isn't human nature for Joe to help John unless there is some tangible reward for Joe. In order for Joe to help John, Joe receives the same reward that John receives. While John's base pay is more than Joe's . . . Joe's share of the bonus will be shared equally.

Those who have made a study of labor relations know that the working man is hourly-pay conscious. Men strike for a few cents an hour increase in pay. They usually ask more than they settle for agreeably. A few cents per hour seems more important to them than the sum total of their gain.

For example, strikers agree to go back to work for an hourly increase of three cents per hour. On a forty-hour week this means \$1.20 more. Presented this way, it appears insignificant. It is well to keep the above in mind.

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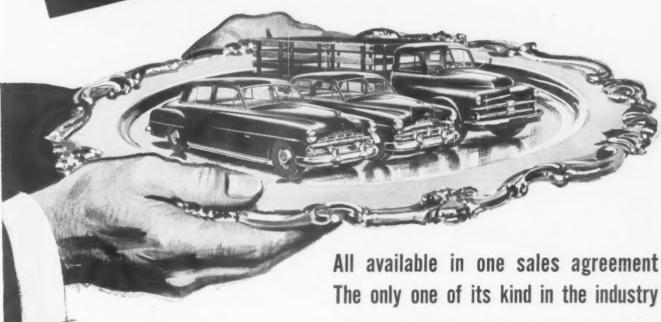




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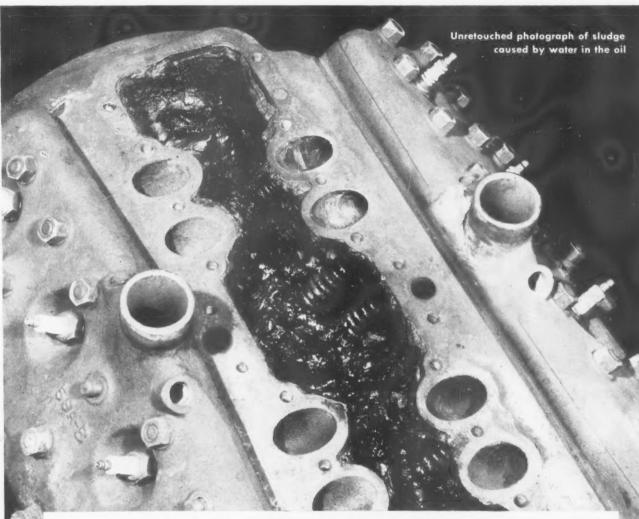
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At Frank Kent Motor Company, for each \$250 above the quota, each employee in the service department which includes those closely allied to it—tire changers. for instance-receives a one-cent hourly increase in pay. That is for the forty-hour pay. Frank Kent Motor Company operates on a fiftyhour week. Therefore, for the extra ten hours, the bonus is upped to a cent and a half per hour.

Let's say the base pay of a certain employee amounts to a dollar per hour. His first forty hours nets him forty dollars. For the other ten hours, at \$1.50 per hour, he receives fifteen dollars . . . or a base pay of \$55 for the fifty-hour

Arbitrarily, we are going to assume that the parts volume for last week totaled \$11,000. That is four \$250 steps above the quota of \$10,000.

Therefore, the employee whose base pay is \$55 per week is going to receive an increase of four cents per hour on his forty-week salary plus six cents for the extra ten hours.

In dollars and cents this increase does not total a staggering amount, as you can figure out. In the parts department there are eighteen participating employees. For the increase of a thousand dollars of business over the quota the bonus does not hurt Frank Kent Motor Company, either.

It is not uncommon for the quota to be exceeded by as many as ten \$250 steps-and it has been as high as 25 steps. This concludes that the quota established is not so high the men are discouraged to go over it.

This incentive pay plan's best feature for the company lies in the fact it stimulates all the employees to work in harmony and for each other's best interest. As a result, the company cannot help but benefit.

With this arrangement, one man cannot become neglectful without being "jacked up" by another employee . . . for one employee's negligence affects all the others.

The customers benefit from this, (Continued on page 78)



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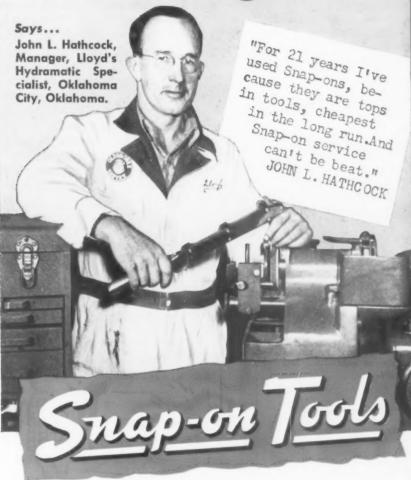


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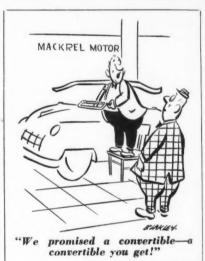
too. They can rest assured that the parts they want will be on hand . . . and that they will be immediately accessible. This eliminates their being told they will have to go elsewhere or they will have to wait while someone searches the warehouse.

To instill interest, a sales thermometer with a red blinker light is installed, and each day's total is marked on it. When the quota is reached, the blinker light is disconnected. The weeks here begin on Friday. . . . The idea is to get that blinker light cut off as early as possible. And the men watch it.

Aside from the cash involved, this evokes a competitive spirit among the employees . . . a challenge to test their ability to perform a good job . . . ceaselessly.

Public Gives Qualified O.K. to Big Business

The average American thinks that the benefits of "big business" in this country outweigh the drawbacks, but still have some serious reservations about it in general. A survey conducted by the Survey Research Center of the University of Michigan and financed by a \$50,000 grant from General Motors, showed that 76 per cent of the persons interviewed said. "the good things outweigh the bad things" in big business performance. Only 10 per cent had the opposite opinion. The favorable points about big business were listed as higher employment, mass production efficiency, development and improvement of products, and large contributions to taxes, education and community welfare. On the negative side, interviewees felt that big business has too much power to reduce competition, squeeze out smaller operators, and



fix prices, and that it has failed to consider the rights of workers adequately. An interesting point is that many who said big business makes excess profits indicated they buy from large chain grocery stores or super markets because of lower prices. At the same time, 71 per cent said that big business could reduce selling prices and still make an adequate profit. The survey revealed that the public believes more and not less control of business should be exercised by national and state governments, and that both business and labor unions have too much power over the nation's economy.





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(usually a specialist) is assigned to the car. When he goes for the parts, he gets them without waiting because the parts department already knows his needs, has assembled them, and has them ready for him to pick up.

From here power tools take over to speed the service, and save time on the job. Special tools and equipment aid materially in expediting and improving the work, and preventing mechanic fatigue. Among the modern pieces of equipment installed in the shop are motor analyzers, a visual wheel balancer and aligner, a two-post lift in each stall, portable lifts, a traveling freight crane for parts, and air and electric impact tools.

The shop also has purchased five electric power tools, one for every three mechanics to run and remove nuts, drive and remove screws, wire brush, drill metal, remove broken cap screws and studs; tap. ream, and hole saw. However, they find their greatest application in this shop in nut-running and removal. According to the service manager, they are used every day on every job. When a wheel needs changing, the power tool spins off the five or six nuts in 32 seconds. It takes as much as five to eight minutes to remove these same nuts with an ordinary hand lug wrench, and if the nuts are frozen, it takes much longer. With the tool frozen nuts are removed as easily and quickly as ordinary nuts.

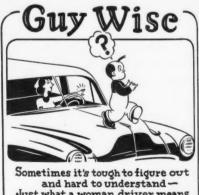
In pulling cylinder head bolts, it is estimated that the power tool saves 50 per cent of the time ordinarily required with a hand wrench. In fact, DiGardi says that 40-50 per cent would be a conservative estimate of the time saved on most applications for the tool.

In this up-to-date service shop, mechanization extends even to the body and paint shops. A dust-free spray booth, with built-in ventilation, keeps the air clean and clear at all times, and a special machine cuts and polishes glass for windshield and window repairs. Other features which save time are such things as building the wash booth with an exit door to the outside This eliminates parking yard. shuttling around cars lined up for washing in the shop. An exhaust system takes the noxious motor ex-

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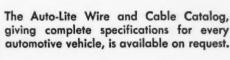
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haust from each car through tubes which lead outdoors. The repair shop air is thus kept clean and fresh at all times. This also contributes toward more efficient and speedier work, and healthier working conditions.

Each of the 15 skilled mechanics has his own bay, completely equipped with hand tools, and every stall is serviced with a water line, an air line, and with 220 and 110 volt receptacles for electric welding and for the electric power tools. No lost time or waste motion is involved in making power line attachments. Everything is at hand to save time in walking around the shop and to enable the mechanic to keep right on the job.

Nor is any time wasted in taking records and orders from one spot to another after the work has started. The carrier tube dispatch system is a two-way affair, operating from the parts room back to the cashier. Each department also has an intercom, to save time in contacting other departments of the shop.

The shop offers a complete repair service. But it can only do so because it's set up for fast work with the most modern equipment available. The service shop manager has found that this pays off—in extra profits, in quicker repairs, and in contented customers.

Need More Rubber Output To Avert World Shortage

Although the supply of rubber by the end of this year will be more than adequate for world use, the long range outlook is for a shortage within ten years unless production capacity is greatly increased. P. W. Litchfield, chairman of Goodyear, says that maximum capacity of both natural and synthetic rubber at present would amount to no more than 3.5 million long tons annually, and that by 1960 world demand could reach 4 million long tons a year. He said that rubber consumption in the United States currently is 18 pounds per capita, compared with one pound 50 years ago, but that in other countries current rubber use is one pound per person per year. He said American demand for rubber will continue to increase and that as higher standards of living develop in other countries, foreign rubber consumption will rise.





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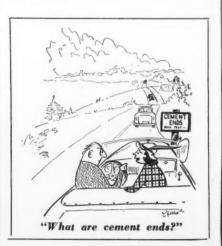
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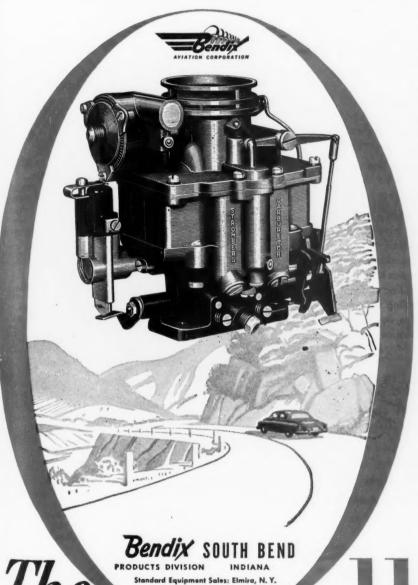
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Calendar of Coming Events

Aug. 13-15—Society of Automotive Engineers, West Coast Meeting Olympic Hotel, Scattle, Washington.

Aug. 21-24-5th Annual Session, National Congress of Petroleum Retailers, Sherman Hotel, Chicago, Ill.

Sept. 3-7-120th National Diamond Jubilee meeting, American Chemical Society, Hotel Statler, New York.

Sept. 10-13-Society of Automotive Engineers, tractor and production forum, Schroeder Hotel, Milwaukee,

Sept. 12-American Petroleum Institute, (Lubrication committee business meeting), The Traymore, Atlantic City, N. J.

Sept. 12-14--National Petroleum Hotel Traymore, Atlantic Institute.

Sept. 16-18-28th Annual Convention, New York State Auto Dealers Assn., Sagamore Hotel, Bolton Land-ing, Lake George, New York. Sept. 16-18—Annual Convention of

Kentucky Automobile Dealers Assn., Kentucky Lake, Gilbertsville, Ky.

Sept. 24-25—New Mexico Automobile Dealers Assn. annual convention, Murray Hotel, Silver City, N. M.
Sept. 24-26—National Truck Body

Manufacturers and Distributors Assn. annual convention, Haddon Hall, At. lantic City, New Jersey.
Sept. 27-28—Convention of Kansas

Motor Car Dealers Assn., annual convention, Town House, Kansas City, Kansas.

Sept. 27-28-33rd Annual Convention, New Jersey Automotive Trade Assn., Hotel Traymore, Atlantic City,

Sept. 30-Oct. 1-Automobile Dealers Assn. of Alabama, Inc., annual convention, Buena Vista Hotel, Biloxi, Miss.

Oct. 1-2—32nd Annual Convention, Minnesota Automobile Dealers Assn., Radisson Hotel, Minneapolis, Minn.

Oct. 4—12th Anniversary Dinner of Automobile Old Timers, Hotel Book-Cadillac, Detroit, Mich.

Oct. 4-6—Pennsylvania Automotive Assn. annual convention, Penn Hotel, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Oct. 5-7—Idaho Auto Dealers Assn., convention, Sun Valley, Idaho.
Oct. 7-9—The South Dakota Automobile Dealers Assn., 1951 annual convention, Mitchell, South Dakota.

Oct. 21-23 — Georgia Automobile Dealers' Assn., General Oglethorpe Hotel, Savannah, Ga. Oct. 21-23—Automotive Trade Assn.

of Virginia convention, John Marshall Hotel, Richmond, Va.

Oct. 24-31—Annual meeting, National Lubricating Grease Institute, Edgewater Beach Hotel, Chicago, Ill.

Oct. 29-39 — Annual Convention, Ohio Automobile Dealers Assn., Dayton Biltmore Hotel, Dayton, Ohio.

Oct. 29-30—Society of Automotive Engineers, Diesel Engine Meeting, Drake Hotel, Chicago, Ill.

Oct. 29-31-Society of Automotive Engineers transportation meet Knickerbocker Hotel, Chicago, Ill. meeting,

Oct. 31-Nov. 1—Society of Automotive Engineers, fuels and Lubricants meeting, Drake Hotel, Chicago, Ill.

Nov. 3-6—Texas Automotive Dealers Assn., Shamrock Hotel, Houston,

Nov. 4-5--Texas Used Car Dealers Assn., 1951 Convention, Waco, Tex.

Nov. 5-7-Annual Convention, Motor Equipment Wholesalers Assn., Stevens Hotel, Chicago, Ill.

Nov. 5-8-Annual Meeting, Ameri can Petroleum Institute, Chicago, Ill. Nov. 14-15 - Annual Meeting of Oklahoma Automobile Dealers Assn.,

Skirvin Hotel, Oklahoma City, Okla. Nov. 25-30—Annual Meeting, The American Society of Mechanical Engineers, Chalfonte-Haddon Hall, At-

lantic City, N. J. Nov. 27-29 — **Annual Convention** of National Used Car Dealers Assn., Hotel Tampa Terrace, Tampa, Fla.

Dec. 7-8-Annual Convention, Montana Automobile Dealers' Assn., Placer Hotel, Helena, Montana.

Jan. 14-18, 1952-Annual Meeting, Society of Automotive Engineers, Inc., Hotel Book-Cadillac, Detroit, Mich.
Jan. 27-30 — NADA Convention,

Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, New York City,

Feb. 28-Mar. 2—1952 Pacific Automotive Show, Pan Pacific Auditorium, Los Angeles, Calif.





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which are available. The most tedious job on the whole unit is replacing the front bearing. This bearing is pressed on the runner hub shaft and into the flange which is covered by a plug to prevent the oil from escaping. To remove it on all models before 1946, a drift pin is inserted on the end opposite the plug and the plug is driven out.

Then a special puller with jaws that fit inside the ball bearing is installed and the slide hammer pulls the bearing off the shaft and out of the pocket.

On later models the plug is welded and must be cut with a special hole cutter as shown in the illustration at the upper left. When replacing a plug that has been cut out, it must be welded and soldered to prevent oil leakage.

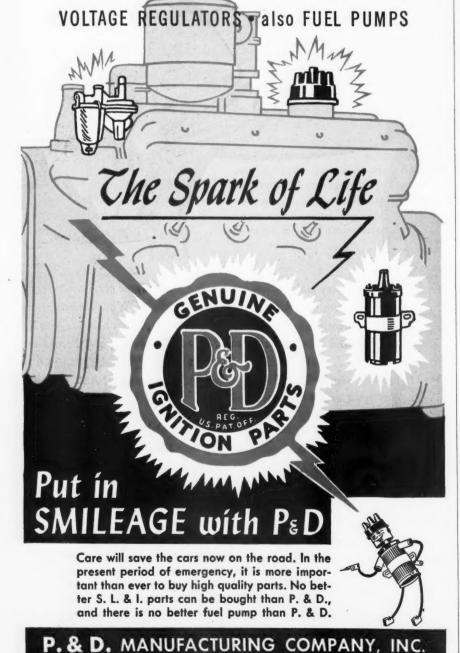
After all the parts have been removed, cleaned and examined and all the necessary parts are replaced, the unit is tested for leaks by attaching an air hose and applying 15 to 20 lbs. air pressure while the unit is submerged under water.

Automotive Industry Shows Profit Rise in 1st Quarter

Companies within the motor vehicles and parts industry group reported a 4 per cent increase in profits during the first quarter of 1951, as measured against returns in the fourth quarter of 1950. Figures in both instances refer to profits remaining after federal taxes.

By showing a percentage increase, the motor vehicles and parts companies became one of only five major industry groupings to record greater profits in the first three months of this year. Statistics released jointly by Federal Trade Commission and Securities and Exchange Commission indicated most branches of industry were making fewer profits. The average decline in returns reported by 22 major groupings was 8 per cent.

Motor vehicles and parts firms registered an actual monetary drop, before taxes, from \$889 million in profits at the end of the fourth quarter, 1950, to \$716 million between January 1 and March 31. After taxes, however, remaining profits were higher by \$10 million at the end of the first quarter of this year.



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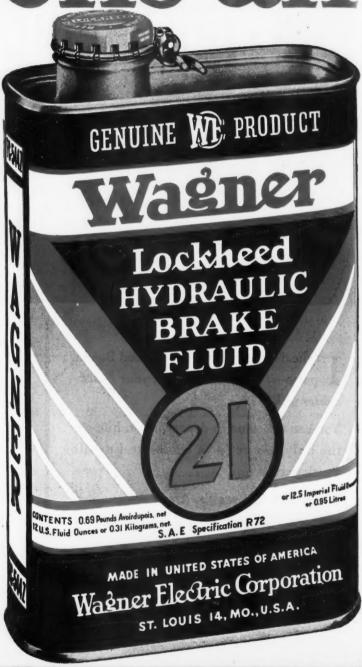
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the return oil and send it back to the tank. The purpose of the large oil supply kept separate from the engine is to provide cooling and to insure ample lubrication even if a leak develops. The heavy body oil is specified because of the wide clearances in this engine and because of the high operating temperatures. The crankshaft is machined from a single piece of steel which has been heat treated to extreme strength. Connecting rod bearings are steel backed inserts with copper lead lining and the main bearings are large bronze castings with babbitt lining. The large main bearing collets bolt right to the webs of the crankcase. The

crankshaft and main bearings can be removed from the crankcase as an assembly. These precision fit bearings, used on a precision ground crankshaft, have excellent wear characteristics, as can be seen in Figure 2. The connecting rod bearing illustrated has been run twenty races or about 300 miles, and the only sign of wear is the loss of the original gloss from the surface. The bearings are accessible through large hand holes in the side of the crankcase, which are covered with plates.

The dome-type pistons are aluminum alloy. Three rings are used, and the floating wrist pins are retained by aluminum retaining buttons.

In order to prevent valve flutter at high speeds and to insure against breakage, double concentric valve springs are used. Valves are actuated by a dual overhead camshaft which works off a "Y" type gear train from the front of the engine. To remove the valves, the block must be separated from the crankcase and lifted off. The advantages of the dual overhead camshaft are that (1) central location of the spark plug is possible. On this type engine, with a single overhead camshaft, the rocker arms would be directly over the cylinder so that the plug would have to be off to one side. By having two camshafts, they can be offset to allow room for the plug in the center. (2) The camshaft (Continued on page 92)

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can act directly on the valve stem, rather than through push rods or rocker arms. This positive action is essential for high speed racing operation. (3) There are less moving parts to wear.

To remove the valves, the block must be separated from the crankcase and lifted off. This leaves the crankcase, crankshaft, rods and pistons as an assembly. Then the valve springs are removed and the guides slid out from above. This provides the extra clearance needed to clear the cylinder wall for removal.

In reseating the valve seats a special dummy guide is placed in the valve guide hole and a special grinding attachment inserted from within the cylinder. Then the seating tool can be rotated from outside. The valves seat directly on the block metal—no seat inserts are used.

Adjusting the valves involves grinding the stems or adding shims inside the valve cup, which fits over the springs and stem. The cam lobe rides on this cup, and by adding or removing shims between the stem and cup, and by grinding the stem, the valve clearance can be varied. Valve spring tensions are (open) 165 pounds on the outer and 90 pounds on the inner.

The "Offy" has removable covers on the water jackets. When these covers, which run the full length of the engine, are removed. the entire water jacket is accessible inside. This simplifies cleaning and repairing. Welding, which would normally be impossible, is no problem at all because of this open water jacket. No fan is used on this cooling system, since a fan is unnecessary above 35 mph. The single centrifugal type water pump circulates ten gallons per minute, and the normal operating temperature of the engine is 160 degrees F.

Precision construction, top quality materials and all of the latest engineering developments are combined in this engine to provide maximum power while consuming minimum space with a minimum of weight. (The complete engine weighs only 265 pounds.) While the "Offy" has a displacement of only 103 cubic inches, a 3-inch bore and 35%-inch stroke, it develops 133 hp at 6700 rpm.





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ride in this one, Larry. It can't be anything too serious."

"It better not be anything too serious," Larry commented with a dry glance at the clock. "After all, you promised it to Mac by noon, an' it's nine-thirty now."

Pop glanced at the clock in feigned surprise. "Why, so it is, nine-thirty already. Whose job did you say I should charge for your first hour's work this morning?" he questioned. "Or should I just knock it off on next year's vacation?"

"Aw, cut it out," growled Larry.
"It's too early in the morning for
that stuff, an' besides I got troubles. I was supposed to take eggs
home last night, an' I forgot them. When I get up this morning the old woman makes me go down to the store, get the eggs, an' when I got back she said I had to fry 'em, too. All that takes time. You know how women are, Pop?"

"Sure," replied Pop drily as he ambled out toward the Buick. "And I know you, too. After all, I've been with you about eight hours a day for the last twenty years, Sundays and holidays excepted, an' time out for coffee an' reading comic books."

When Pop came back from road testing the car, he went directly to Larry's workbench where Larry was busily engaged in overhauling a generator.

"It certainly sounds like pinion bearings," he commented.

Larry nodded.

"If you weren't so wrong on this one," said Pop, "I'd swear you were right."

"Me too," said Larry. "I'm always right, except in cases like this where there's something wrong with the car."

"And usually," Tommy butted in, "there's something wrong with cars that come in here."

"Since you're sure that rear end is O.K.," said Pop, "I think we can discount that, and that seems to me to lead to a rather logical conclusion. That sound could be the rear transmission mainshaft bearing."

"Not in the rear end," said Larry. "Transmission bearings are still put into transmissions."

"You get brighter every day," remarked Pop. "It took me fifteen years to teach you that. But it could be that the sound of a bad rear transmission bearing is telegraphing back along the torque tube. I've known of cases like that to happen, and it certainly seems like a good gamble. Especially when you're so sure that the rear end is O.K."

"Look, Pop," said Larry, "we've got to get this job out by three o'clock. You want us to pull the transmission out, disassemble it and replace it, and you're willing to gamble that we'll find the cause of the trouble because once you knew a guy who heard a sound telegraphed back the torque tube. Does that make sense?"

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Pop O'Neill

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"It does to me," said Tommy.
"I'd rather gamble on Pop's intuition than on some people's scientific diagnosis."

Larry sizzled him with a glance. "Ever notice how heat affects kids," Larry said to Pop. "On the little ones it breaks out in a heat rash, but on the bigger ones it breaks out on their tongues. Gives them an awful nasty disposition

for a few days. But never mind him. He's not bad as kids go."

"To get back to the subject," said Pop. "I think you'd better pull the transmission. I'll gamble on that rear transmission bearing and I'll take the blame from Mac if his car isn't ready. With both of you working on it, you'll have it done by three."

Larry's look was intended to

reply that he thought Pop was running him a little short on time, but he set to work immediately.

When the transmission was out and disassembled, Larry called Pop in. "Funny thing, you know, you were lucky again. Look at the inside of the rear bearing. It's about as rough as I've ever seen."

Pop picked up the bearing and gave it a spin, nodding slowly to himself. "I just happened to go downtown," he said. "And while I was down there I just happened to pick up another rear mainshaft bearing for a '47 Buick Special, just in case we happened to have one come in that needed a rear mainshaft bearing. Here it is in my pocket now." He grinned as he slipped the box to Larry.

Shortly before three, Larry came into the office. "All set to road test it," he said. "Want to come along?"

Pop shook his head. "No, I better stay here and keep Mac cool while you try it out. Good luck."

But Larry was back himself before Mac had put in an appearance. "Perfect," he said. "Not the slightest whisper of a sound. Boy, you sure can call 'em, Pop. Don't you ever go wrong?"

"Not if I can help it," said Pop.
"Reminds me of a story my wife
brought home from the beauty
parlor," Larry grinned as he recalled it. "Seems a woman was out
buying a bed but couldn't decide
between a mahogany or a brass
one. At last the clerk got a little
tired waiting for her to make up
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"'You can't go wrong on a brass bed,' he said finally.

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353. Engine Analyzer

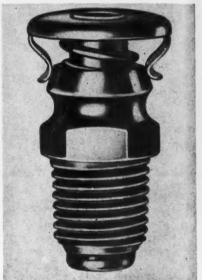
King Electric Equipment Co. announces that the new King Model MT-225 Engine Analyzer is now available. Six separate King testing units, Coil Ignition Tester, Spark Plug Tester, Condenser Tester, VAR Tester, Cam-Angle Tachometer Tester and an Exhaust Gas Analyzer form a complete

testing unit. They lock in place on the display rack mounted on a portable cabinet.

Each King tester features 5inch D'Arsonval meters, and permanently attached leads are designed to eliminate electrical losses. The cabinet provides table space for small tools and parts. The storage compartment with partitioned battery space has a full-length hinged door. Mounted on swiveling wheels equipped with foot operated locking brakes, the entire unit is portable. Individual analyzers can be removed for independent use in any part of shop or for road testing.

354. Drain Valve

Monroe Standard, Inc., announces availability of the Bar-Jon Push Pull Drain Valve, for use in radiators, blocks and other assemblies where frequent draining is necessary. The valve opens when pushed and closes when pulled. The tip of a screwdriver will actuate the valve even in rela-





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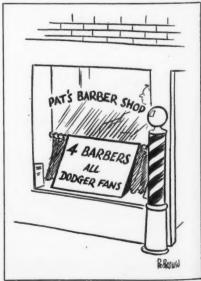
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Thread sizes. The manufacturer states that it is self blocking, leak proof, self cleaning and corrosion resistant. It offers unrestricted flow and is interchangeable with the conventional style.

355. Brake Service Deal

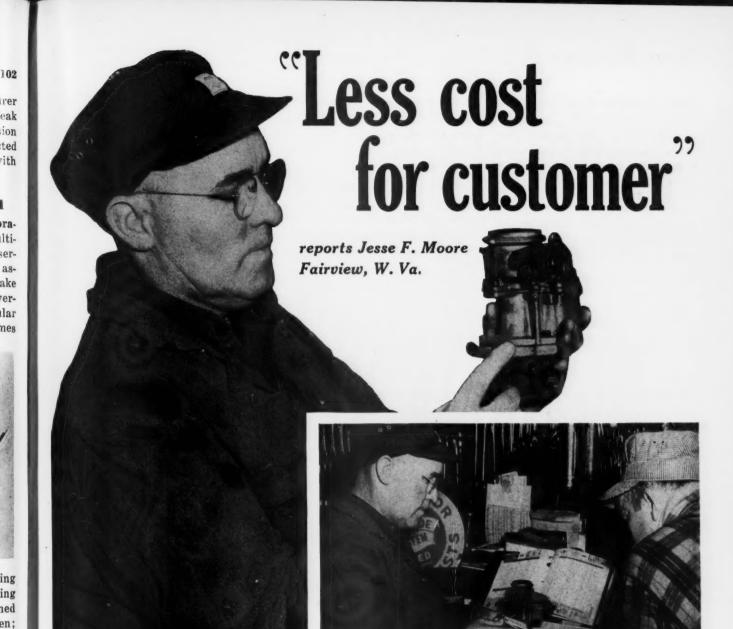
National Brake Block Corporation has developed a new "multiassortment" packaged brake service deal which includes ten assorted sets of National Brake Block. They supply reline coverage for 90 per cent of the popular cars. With each assortment comes



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356. Terminal Lifter

Herbrand Division of the Bingham-Herbrand Corp, is manufacturing a new battery terminal lifter and scraper. The manufacturer states that a badly frozen or corroded terminal snaps up easily under its powerful leverage. A special release joint separates the tool into two pieces, one section with a serrated nose for cleaning the inside of the terminals and the other with sharp jaws for scraping the posts.

357. Car Watch

The Oldsmobile Division of the General Motors Corp. is marketing a new 15 jewel car watch, designed for mounting on the steering wheel. The movement of the steering wheel keeps the watch wound. The timepiece has a Swiss movement. The turning of the steering wheel and the normal movement of the car actuate the watch's pendulum weights, winding the watch's movement. It is



stated that five miles of city driving or 20 miles of open highway driving will keep the watch running for about two days. When the movement is fully wound, it will run for a period of nine days. The watch is optional at extra cost on Oldsmobile cars.

358. Front End Chart

Moog Industries, Inc., has published a Wall Chart on front end service work.

This chart measures 41 in. by 43 in. and is a combination Parts Catalog and Service Wall Chart. It contains exploded group illustrations on all cars, with kit numbers easy to read, coil action parts and required King Bolt Kit shown.

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359. Bench Grinder using the saw an

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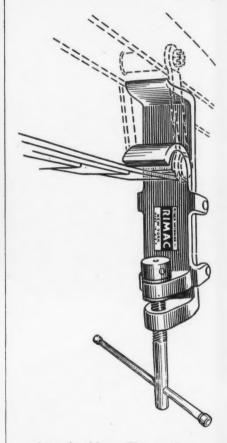
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360. Lining Catalog

Grizzly Manufacturing Company announces publication of the "Catalog '51," a new 64-page book devoted to specifications and prices of Grizzly Brake Linings for all automotive applications. The book contains complete up-todate application data on cars, buses, trucks and tractors. Also, complete size specifications data on FMS Set Numbers, as well as the quantity and size of rivets or bolts needed for each. The "Time Saver" section, a feature of this catalog, is a single reference showing how and at what price each FMS may be serviced with drilled or undrilled Syncro-Set (regular duty) or Silvertip (heavy duty) segments for riveting, or Saftibond (bonding agent applied) segments for bonding.

361. Spring Shackle Jack

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spring shackles. The spring can be spread from the chassis to the exact position needed for disassembling or replacing rubber shackles, bushings or other parts with one hand. It adjusts the spring until holes are in position in alignment with shackle arms parallel and holds it in position while the shackle is removed and parts replaced.

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362. Thermostats

Standard-Thomson Corporation has announced a complete line of automotive thermostats which includes 56 numbers for heavy duty trucks and buses as well as passenger cars and lighter trucks.

363. Tool Chest

Plomb Tool Company announces

the addition of a Proto master tool chest. The new chest measures 27 in. x 12 in. x 15 in. and has two full width compartment drawers. four half - width three - compartment drawers and a full width top section partitioned into three compartments. The 213/4 in. wide tote tray also has three compartments. The box is constructed of welded heavy gage steel, with double-



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364. Relining Folder

The Gatke Corporation is publishing an illustrated folder showing comparative time required for a typical brake reline job with the two methods-conventional brake lining sets, and the new Gatke Duz-All System.

365. Tune-up Tester

Meyer & Welch, Inc., is marketing a tester for use in carburetor tune up. A leaking diaphragm, needle seat or the vacuum at which the economizer valve opens can be determined with this tester. the firm states. This tester is limited to Economizer valves used in all Ford carburetors and up to 1949, on the Lincoln and Mercury.



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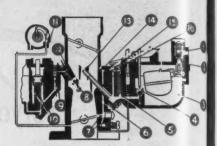
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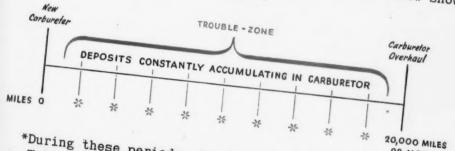
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Pesco Products Appoints Two New Managers

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Average Estimates on Body Bumping Quiz (Page 42)

- 1. 1949 Ford fender and hood. Average time estimate: 22 hours.
- 2. 1950 Pontiac door bent. Average time estimate: 19 hours.
- 3. 1938 Ford left front fender. Average time estimate: 10½ hours.
- 4. 1950 Studebaker coupe door dished. Average time estimate: 5½ hours.
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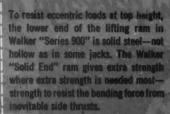
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studies, we found that one reason why operators in the automotive field do not get the most out of their cash registers is that the units are not big enough for the work they must do from an accounting standpoint. Too many operators think only of the protective features of a cash register and do not consider its adaptability as an automatic bookkeeper. The modern register supplies protection and also business information. But even if the machine is modern, if it has a limited range of registration, it will not get best results. Be sure that the register is large enough and of sufficient versatility to handle all transactions occurring in your business under normal operating conditions. Remember, however, that it can cover only the financial accounting phase of a business. It will not cost repair jobs. For this work, you need special job costing forms.

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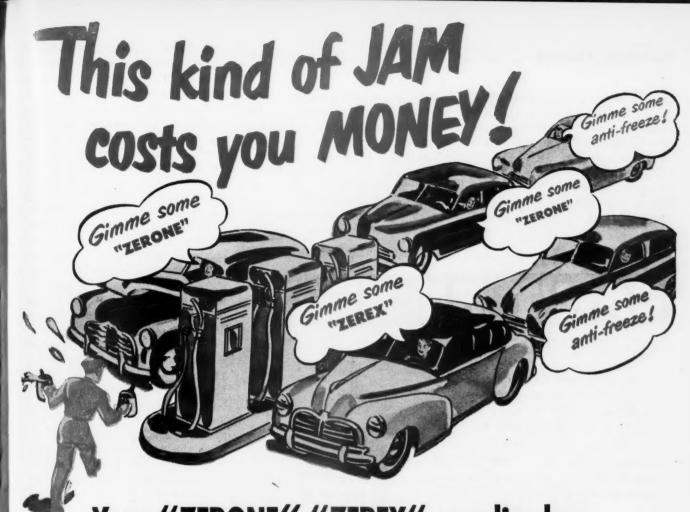


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Generators

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then lay a thin piece of steel along the armature bars, or a hacksaw blade is usable. Rotate the armature in the growler and when moving the blade from slot to slot, if a short circuit exists in one of the coils, the blade will tend to adhere to the armature and vibrate when it is held over the defective coil. Then the commutator should be checked for grounds with a test light. Check one lead of the test light to the armature coil and the other lead to each bar of the commutator. If the test lamp lights, it indicates a grounded coil or bar and the armature should be discarded. The armature should then be placed in the lathe and the

commutator machined to assure a smooth concentric surface for the brushes. Then the mica should be under cut about 1/32nd of an inch.

Field coils very rarely fail in normal service and a continuity test should be made without removing the fields. They can be checked for grounds also in this manner. The continuity test can be made by touching one test point to each end of the field, winding simultaneously. On three brush units disconnect the grounded end of the field to make a test. The lamp should light, indicating that the field winding is not interrupted or broken. The test for grounds is done in a similar manner. Touch one test point to either end of the field winding, the other test point to the frame. The lamp should not light. If the field coils pass both these tests. but the generator fails to function properly, when assembled, disassemble the generator, and remove the field coils to determine the field current draw. If the current draw is excessive, that means some of the turns are shorted; if the current is low, it would indicate high resistance or partially burned conductors and then the field windings should be replaced. Field coils should be retaped with a good grade of linen tape and the tape should be impregnated with insulating varnish and reassembled to the main frame. The brush spring tension should also be checked by using a pull scale and the brush holders should be checked for grounds. A test lamp should light when a grounded brush holder is tested. It should not light when testing the insulated brush holder.

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transmissions from '41 to '48 which fail to start at times unless the wire which is connected to the distributor or coil is disconnected. This wire comes from the solenoid unit and I don't know whether the trouble is in the relay governor or just where. Also, on these same cars, why does the magnetic switch work on the carburetor that the

motor slows gradually? When does the magnetic switch work and why won't the dash pot plunger work as well without it? Submitted by: Gene Shermeister, Shermeister's Garage, 1410 Penn Avenue, Sheboygan, Wis.

We Suggest:

On Chrysler cars equipped with

automatic transmissions, usually when the engine fails to start and you have to disconnect the wire connected to the distributor, the trouble lies in the interrupter switch. When the trouble occurs, replace the interrupter switch. This switch can be tested by attaching one voltmeter lead to the ground and the other lead to the primary circuit on the interrupter switch. With the voltmeter connected in this manner, the ground is established for test purposes. With the ignition switch on, the voltmeter will show a line voltage of six to eight volts. Start the engine and, by revving the engine to about 1100 rpm, the stem on the vacuum unit will latch. As the stem moves in, there is a momentary interruption on the primary ignition circuit and the voltmeter needle will flicker. This indicates the switch is operating properly. On cars equipped with magnetic switches, the electrical control is energized by the wire from the solenoid terminal of the kick-down relay and the other wire from this terminal leads to the solenoid on the transmission case. The wire is hot, up to 18 mph on '41 models and '42 models. It is 14 mph on '46 and '47 Chrysler and De Soto models.

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Persistent Vibration Hard to Find in This Frazer

We're having trouble with a 1949 Frazer which has a vibration.

What We Did:

First we installed a new rear drive shaft. That changed the vibration point. It vibrates in low gear at 15 mph, second gear at 20 mph, high gear at 30 mph. The same vibrating appears when coasting at 35 mph. We checked the flywheel for looseness; double checked the three U-joints for the correct amount of parts and spacing of the cross pins. It seems that in low gear or overdrive it doesn't vibrate when the car is jacked up.

The tires were checked for balance and they were O.K. Submitted by: Ruben Berg, Berg Auto Company, 746 Selby Avenue, St. Paul, Minn.

We Suggest:

On your 1949 Frazer this vibration is probably coming from the engine being off center with the driveshaft. Loosen the motor mounts and run the car around the block so that it centers itself. Then re-tighten the mounts. Check this job for vibrating while the car is standing still. If the vibration is still noticeable when using part throttle, then the trouble could be coming from an unbalanced condition at the flywheel or probably the fan blades. Also check the rear shackle bolt to make sure they are tight and the springs haven't shifted.

Chevrolet Leaks Oil From Rear Main Bearing

How can we stop an oil leak at the rear main bearing on a 1938 Chevrolet engine?

What We Did:

The motor was completely rebuilt and new rings, pistons and pins were installed. The crankshaft was turned. Submitted by: John W. Johnston, Johnston's Garage, Wan, Va.

We Suggest:

Make sure the leak is at the rear main bearing and not from the valve covers. Also check the (Continued on page 126)



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breather system and see that it is operating correctly. Remove the rear main bearing cap and make sure the ball is free in the main bearing cap.

Buick Is Leaking Grease From Rear to Transmission

A 1946 Buick Super which we service has differential grease flowing to the transmission, resulting in grease leaking from the transmission to the clutch assembly.

What We Did:

We replaced the seals and gaskets. Still the leak persisted. The transmission must be drained to the proper level every thousand miles and the differential thus takes two pounds of hypoid. Submitted by: Curtis Greene, Central Motors, 9 North Water Street, Frostburg, Md.

We Suggest:

Buick Motor Co. has developed a new grease seal which combines with the rear pinion bearing lock nut. To make this replacement, it entails removing the drive shaft and fitting the seal to the housing. The Buick Motor Co. has a bulletin on installing this seal, the number being BPS 2-267.

Miss in Cadillac At Half Throttle

We have a 1950 Cadillac with a miss in the engine when driving at half throttle. Sometimes at 50 mph; other times at 60 mph, 70 or 80 mph. The car has 15,000 miles on it.

What We Did:

We installed a new set of spark plugs and it seemed to run some better. Then we put in a new coil, and overhauled the distributor. Checked the compression and found it O.K. A valve job was supposed to have been done at 10,000 miles. Submitted by: Oran Johnston, P.O. Box 175, Hughson, California.

We Suggest:

Since the car runs better after installing new spark plugs, the (Continued on page 134)



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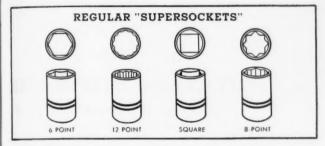
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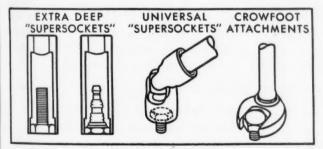
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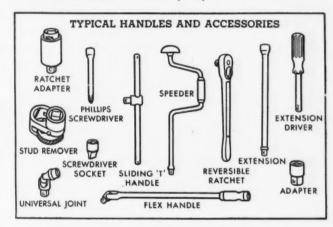
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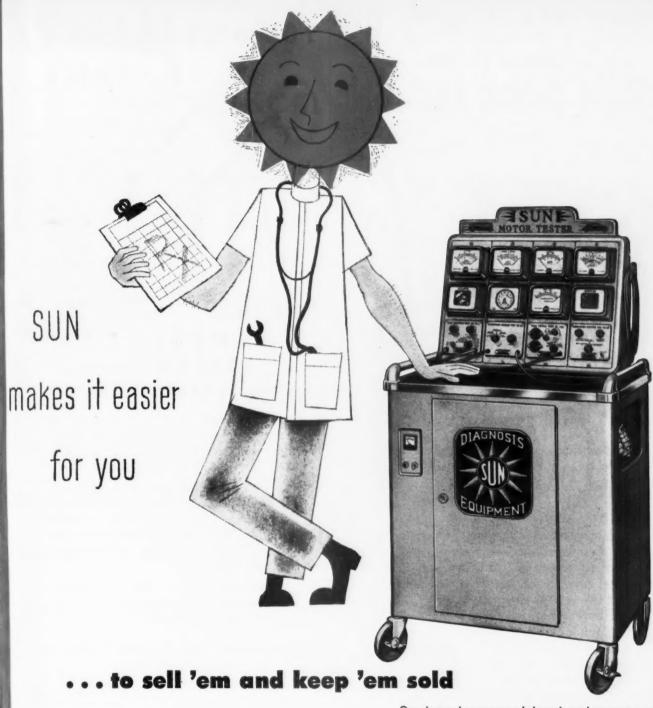
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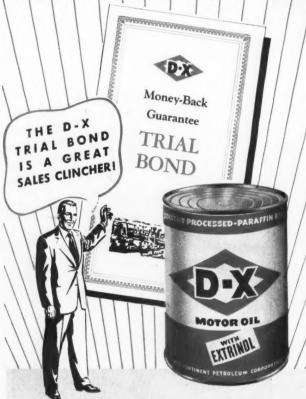


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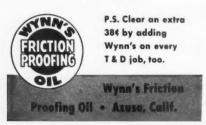


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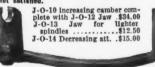
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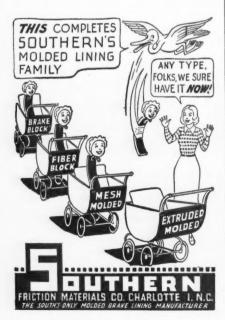
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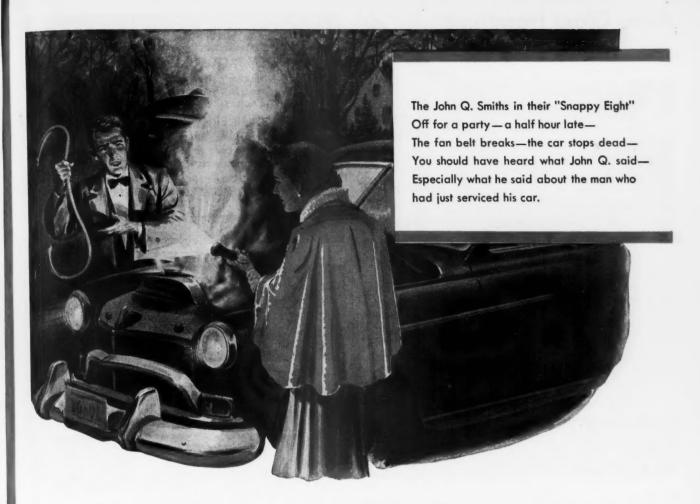
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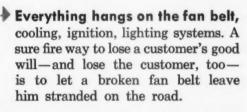
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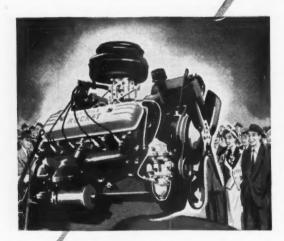


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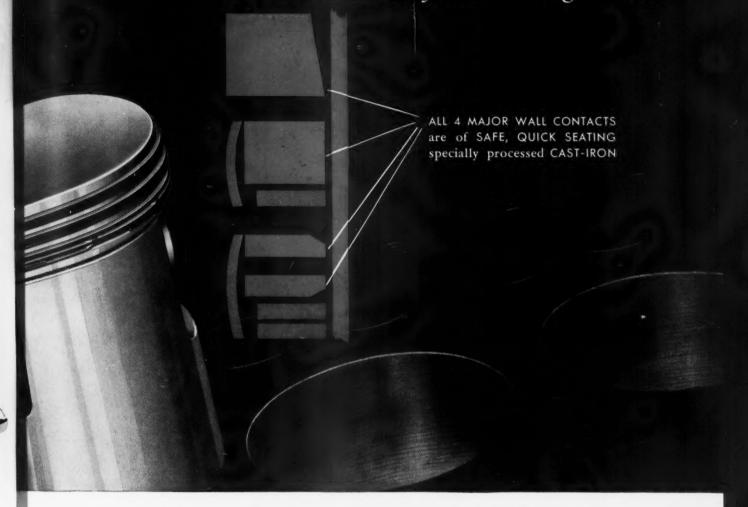
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